

At a Court held for Sussex County the 16th day of March 1786.
 This Appraisement of the Estate of James Chappell was returned
 By the Court Ordered to be Recorded.

Teste Mich^l Bailey Esq. Cler.

James Jones
 - Will -

In the Name of God Amen I David Jones of Sussex County
 and the Parish of Allendale being now of sound mind & disposing
 Memory do make and Declare this to be my last Will & Testament
 to be as follows I give to my Daughter Rebecca the use of
 one Negro Girl named Sarah during of her life and at her death
 I will the said Negro together with her increase to my said Daugh-
 ter Rebecca's Children & Five pounds in Cash
 Item I give and devise to my Son Abraham Jones and to his
 heirs forever one Negro boy named Dick
 Item I give and devise to my Son Holmes Jones & to his heirs
 forever one Negro boy named Jacob
 Item I give and
 devise to my Son Robert Jones & to his heirs forever one Negro
 boy named Austin
 Item I give and devise to my Daughter
 Charlotte Jones & to her heirs forever one Negro Girl named
 Silvia & her increase also a Bed & Five pounds in Cash
 Item I give to my Wife Sarah Jones during her life or
 widowhood the use of four Negroes namely, Roger, Tom, Nan
 and Amy, also the use of the Plantation whereon I now live also
 the use of Two Beds & Furniture one Gum Chest with drawers
 at the bottom, also Six leather Chairs, all the pewter plates
 and dishes three Iron pots, One frying pan one Copper Tea
 kettle one Bell mettle Skillet one Horse Two Cows & Calves
 Four Cows Lambs, also six knives & forks, one looking Glass
 with a Mahogany frame also all the Wheat Corn & Fruits that
 shall be upon the Plantation at my Death also two stone butter
 potts, I will that my Land & Plantation Negroes and all the
 rest that I have given to my wife at her Death or Marriage to be

be sold and the Money arising therefrom shall be equally divided amongst my three Sons and youngest Daughter if they should be all alive at that time, but if any of them should die then I will that those that shall be alive at that time shall equally divide the Money arising from said Sale. I will and desire all the Negroes that I have not given away together with all the Estate of every kind soever to be sold at my death and the Money arising from the Sale after paying my Just Debts to be equally divided among my Wife & five Children. Lastly I constitute & appoint my ^{Wife} ~~Wife~~ my two Sons Abraham & Holmes Jones to be my Executors and Executors of this my last Will and Testament. I Testament that this is my last and only Authentick Will & Testament. In Witness hereof I have hereunto set my hand & Seal dated this twenty third day of March One thousand seven hundred and Eighty six

Signed Sealed &
Declared in presence of }
Test

James Chappell
Rich^d Cooke
Jelly Chappell

David Jones

At a Court held for Sussex County the 20th day of April 1786
The within Will of David Jones, was presented in Court by Abraham & Holmes Jones, the Executors therein named, was proved by the Oaths of James Chappell and Richard Cooke two of the Witnesses thereto, and an Oath of said Execut^s who made Oath and gave Bond with Richard Cooke Jesse Wallis and Thomas Leponty their Securities in the Penalty of Five thousand Pounds, Certificate is granted them for obtaining Ex^a protat thereof in due form

Teste

Mich^l Bailey Clerk

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At another Court held for Sussex County the 20th day of Sep. 1786
This Will was further proved by the Oath of William Hardie the other Witness thereto

Teste

Mich^l Bailey Clerk

Dr The Estate of Mich^e Nicholson, Dec^d in Auct^y Grace

		Paper Currency	Grace
Nov ^r 20. 1777	To Cash paid for Coffin -	£ 2. 6	
	To Cash paid Mark Nicholson -	" 3. 9	
	To Ditto paid John Nicholson -	" 10. -	
	To Ditto paid John Nelson for a 2 Bonds -	" 3. 9	
	To Ditto paid Richard Menn -	9. 18. 4	
	To ditto paid Benjamin Evans -	" 13. 8	
	To ditto paid Doct ^r Randolph -	5. - -	
	To ditto paid Rich ^d Blunts Exors -	35. - -	
	To ditto paid Christiany Burge in part Acce ^t as p ^t Day Book -	} 8. 3	
	To ditto paid Thomas Menn -	1. - -	
	To ditto paid Sheriff of Surry for levies p ^t -	3. 6. 6	
	To ditto paid Clerk of Surry Court for Recd ^y Bill & Inventory -	} 1. 10. 3	
	To ditto paid John Maday Doct ^r -	" 15. -	
Aug ^r 7. 78	To ditto paid Sam ^l Nicholson for George Nicholson's Goods -	} 6. - -	
	To ditto paid In ^o Nicholson Doct ^r Mich ^e Nicholson's do -	12. - -	
	To ditto paid Harris Nicholson for board ^y & School ^y Mich ^e Nicholson -	} 6. 8. -	
	To ditto paid In ^o Nicholson for Cloth ^y Mich ^e & Doct ^r Nicholson -	} 5. 12. 1	
	To ditto paid Ben Hancock's Acc ^t -	1. 12. -	
	To ditto paid James Hey -	10. 7	
	To ditto paid Col ^o Blunts Exors -	3. 10. 5	
Dec ^r 10. 78	To ditto paid Mark Nicholson for Cloth ^y Board ^y School ^y Chasman Nicholson -	} 22. 8. 5	
	To ditto paid In ^o ditto in p ^t Board ^y Cloth ^y School ^y Mich ^e & Doct ^r Nicholson -	} 18. 12. -	
Jan ^y 2. 79	To ditto p ^t Sam ^l Nicholson for do. do. In ^o Nicholson's -	31. - 5	
March 3.	To ditto p ^t Harris Nicholson Board ^y Cloth ^y -	12. 2. 0	
Oct ^r 5	To ditto p ^t Sheriff's Tax for Sam ^l Nicholson's -	25. - -	
Oct ^r 13	To ditto p ^t John Nicholson the Doct ^r of his Acc ^t -	22. 4. -	
Nov ^r 25	To ditto p ^t Ben Appel for 1/2 years School ^y Mich ^e do -	4. 18. -	
Dec ^r 2	To Wash ^y 2 Boys' Coats Buttons -	6. 10. -	
Jan ^y 31. 80	To p ^t In ^o Nicholson for Board ^y Cloth ^y & School ^y Mich ^e & Doct ^r Nicholson -	} 150. - -	
Feb ^r 10	p ^t Mark Nicholson for Board ^y Cloth ^y & School ^y Chasman Nicholson -	} 100. 10. -	
Sept ^r 29	To p ^t Cash for hire of Man in the 12 Division -	73. 6. 8	

Dec. 14	Top. In. Nicholson	£65. 13. 4	
Dec. 15	Top. Sam. Nicholson Board of Cloth & School George Nicholson 1779	51. . . .	
Dec. 23	To d. John Nicholson	259. . . .	
Dec. 27	To d. for Mak ^g Suit of Clothes for G. Nicholson	13. 10. . .	
Jan. 1. 81	To d. d. H. Nicholson for Cheasman's 1780	400. . . .	
	To d. d. H. Nicholson for Board of Cloth & George Nicholson	182. 17. .	
	Top. John d. for d. d. Mich ^l & Rob ^t	200. . . .	
	To Cash p ^r for her 9a Man in the Tent. Service	57. 10. . .	
Jan. 5. 82	To 2 ^d Paper & Clothes for Mich ^l & Rob ^t in 1781	240. 4. 9	
6	Top. W. Nicholson for Cloth & School & Cheasman Nicholson	340. 11. 6	
	Top. John Nicholson in part Board & Rob ^t & Mich ^l Nicholson 1781	—	£9. . . .
May 12	Top. ditto in part of Board of Cloth & and School ditto in 82	—	7. 7. 10
	To 2 ^d Paper	10	. 6. .
	Top. Harris Nicholson in part for Board of Cloth & School of G. Nicholson	—	4. 5. 3
	To Cash p ^r for Teach ^g G. Nicholson Survey	—	2. . . .
	To d. d. for School Mich ^l & Rob ^t 2 Months & 3 Weeks	—	. 18. 3
Nov. 2. 84	To d. d. Christiany Burge's her Acco ^t	—	3. 4. .
		2972. 6. 10	25. 11. 4
		2579. 19. .	
		292. 7. 9	

	with Harris and John Nicholson her Executors		
Dec. 23. 76	By Cash found in the house of the Dec ^r	£1. 2. .	Provis
	By Bond from Nathl. Selwile	—	£8. 5. .
Jan. 25. 77	By Cash in the Day Book	2. 16. 3	
Feb. 18.	By Cash rec ^d the day of Sale	43. 4. 3	
	By the Sales of the Personal Estate	356. 12. 7 1/2	
Aug. 18	By the Sale of the Land	100. . . .	
	By the hire of Negroes in 77	31. . . .	
Jan. 2. 79	By hire of do in 78	51. 17. .	
Jan. 1. 80	By hire of do in 79	233. 10. .	
Jan. 1. 81	By hire of do in 80	200. . . .	
	By hire of Carter . 80	400. . . .	
	By the hire of Ester do	100. . . .	
	By the hire of Sal do	5. . . .	

By the hire of Isham	80	£200	
By the hire of Ben	do	250	
		2875.2.7 $\frac{1}{2}$	
Rec. by the Scale		195.3.7	23.72
Sept. 82 By hire of Rogers for 1781		2679.19.7 $\frac{1}{2}$	31.72
Paper Currency due the Exors		292.7.9 $\frac{1}{2}$	44.5.11
Spence due the Exors		26.11.4	
Spence due the Exors		49.6.9	

In obedience to an Order of the Worshipful Court of Superi-
 County we William Nicholson and John Bonel Briggs
 have audited the Account Current of the Estate of Michl
 Nicholson deceased, exhibited by Harris Nicholson
 surviving Exor of the said decedant - and find for
 many of the Charges sufficient vouchers some other
 of them are unsupported by such Vouchers; but we
 are of Opinion that those charges are reasonable
 and necessary for the Children of the decedant
 a considerable part of them being for their Educa-
 tion, board and maintenance

Wm Nicholson
 J. H. Briggs

At a Court held for Super County the 20 day of Sep^r 1786
 This Acc^t Current was returned with the Auditors
 Report thereto annexed, which together with the S.
 report is by the Court Ordered to be Recorded

Ex^a

Josh
 Wm Bailey & Co

Ann Green
Will

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In the name of God Amen Jan^y 17. 1785 I Ann
Green of the County of Sussex being of sound and disposing memory
(thanks be to God for the same) do make & ordain this my last will &
Testament in manner and form following (to wit)

Item. I give & bequeath to my Grand Daughters, Ann Cocks, Eliza-
beth Jones, Elizabeth Edwards & Ann Edwards all my wearing apparel
to be equally divided amongst them

Item. I give & bequeath unto my son Benjamin Blunt the whole of my Estate
of what Nature or Kind soever (except the Legacy above mentioned) to him
and to his Heirs forever

I desire that my Estate may not be appraised. I do hereby constitute & appoint
my son Benjamin Blunt Executor of this my last will & Testament according
all others by me heretofore made. In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand
& affixed my Seal the day & Year above Written

Signed Sealed & Acknowledged

in presence of
Thomas Blunt
Richard Blunt

Ann Green Seal

At a Court held for Sussex County the 15th day of June 1786 -
This last will and Testament of Ann Green, ^{decd} was exhibited into Court
by Benjamin Blunt the Executor therein named, who made oath that it was
the last will and the same was proved by the oath of Thomas Blunt one
of the witnesses thereto and by the Court ordered to be Recorded, on Motion of
said Executor he having given Bond with security in the Penalties of
One thousand pounds, conditioned as the law directs, Certificate is
granted him for obtaining a probat thereof in due form.

Teste.

Mich^l Bailey Clerk

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Jesse Hobbs
and his
Estate

An Inventory and Appraisement of the Estate of Jesse
Hobbs dec'd. 11th of May 1786.

To 1 Negro Man Dove	70. . .
To 1 Boy	50. . .
To four Heads of Cattle	11. . .
To 1 lot of Porter	21. . .
To 1 pot & Skillet	4. . .
To 1 Wheel & 2 Charas	3. . .
To 3 Cedar Casks, 2 Pails & 1 Bole	15. 6
To 1 Mans Saddle & Bridle	1. 5. .
To 1 Washing Tub, 1 Water pail & hide	5. 6
To Knives & forks	4. . .
To a parcel of Lumber	5. . .
To 2 Wedges, Ox Cham & Carpenters Tools	4. 4. .
To 2 Wheat Tubbs	4. . .
To 1 Walnut Table & two Chests	1. 18. .
To 1 Case & Bottles	10. . .
To 3 Feather Beds & furniture	15. . .
To 5 Chairs	10. . .
To 1 Loom & Warnings	7. 3. .
To 1 Set of Tooth Drawers	10. . .
To 1 Gun & Ammunition	1. . .
To 1 Bible	1. . .
To 2 Sugs, 1 Bottle, 1 Glass, Lumber & earthen ware	7. 6
To 1 Silver Watch	3. . .
To Razor stop, Pocket Book, Ink Glass & gimble	2. 6
To 2 Canisters, one Vial	1. . .
To parcel of wheat	7. 6
To bush of Corn	5. . .
To Wearing apparel	6. . .

Virginia Lettway Nov^r 1786 173. 0. 6

In obedience to an Order of the worshipful the Court of Supers we being appointed
to appraise the Estate of Jesse Hobbs dec'd have appraised the same in
Current Money to the amount of One hundred & Seventy three pounds six pence

Barwell Rogers
Miles Tucker
Henry Aley

Returned into Supers County Court the 15 June 1786
And by the Court Ordered to be Recorded.

Teste

Rich^d Bailey Esq. Cor.

1785
May 20th
Geo Briggs
Last Will
Estate

An Inventory of the Estate of George Briggs Deceased ⁴⁰⁰

To Wit
1 Negro named Will
Do do Hanner
1 feather bed & furniture
1 Negro Boy named Bob

John Thos. Blom. Esq.

Exam.

Returned into Superior County Court the 15th day of June 1786
By the Court Ordered to be Recorded
Mick Bailey, Clerk

Inventory of the estate of John Blunt Dec'd late of the County of Tryon

- 1 Horse saddle & bridle, wearing a bridle 1 Watch
- 1 Iron Stove
- 1 Chest & small box
- 1 Prayer Book of four sides Leather about three barrels of Corn
- 1 Pocket Book
- 1 Horse Bell
- 1 Bayonet & scabbard box
- 1 Curry comb & brush
- 1 Shoe Brush
- 2 Money purses
- 1 Militia Certificate £3. 9th & Specie £14 & Bonds with Interest
- Notes Acct &c to amount of £116. 15. 1

The above a true Inventory given under my hand the 14 June 1786

Benjamin Blunt Esq.

Exam.

Returned into Superior County Court the 15th day of June 1786
and by the Court Ordered to be Recorded

Mick

Mick Bailey, Clerk

McClelland
Will

In the Name of God Amen I William Presley Claiborne
of Superior County do make and ordain this my last Will & Testament in
manner of form following
Imprimis, I wish my Estate be kept intact for the Support of my Wife and the
Educating and maintenance of my Children, until my Son William
Presley Claiborne comes of Age or my Wife or some one of my Daughters
Marries

Item, If my Wife should Marry, I give her the following Negroes to wit
 Fortune, Peter, Cowe, Samp, Fortune, Amey, Matt, Polly, Tom, James
 Charlott, & Matt, all which Negroes with their Increase I give to her —
 during her natural life in lieu of her Right of Dower —

Item, I give and devise my Land to my Son William Presley to him & his
 heirs forever —

Item, My Will and desire is that the rest of my Estate be it of what na-
 ture or quality soever, be equally divided (at the time aforementioned) amongst
 all my Children share and share alike and that the Negroes given my
 Wife in lieu of her Dower may also at her death be equally divided —

Item, If my Dear Wife should not enter on second Marriage before a
 division of my Estate, My Will and desire is that she take such proportion
 of my Estate (before a division) the Land included as she shall judge
 sufficient, to support her which said share or proportion I give to her
 during her Widowhood, and after my Wifes Interest therein shall expire I
 desire the whole of the said Estate except the Land be equally divided among
 all my Children, If any of my Children (namely) Mary Lucy, Elizabeth
 William Presley and Martha, should die before or after a division, if
 they are not of Age nor Married, My Will is that their share or propor-
 tion be equally divided amongst those that are alive —

Lastly I do nominate, constitute and appoint My Dear Wife Mary my
 Executrix and my Father Augustine Claiborne my Brother Buller
 Claiborne, John Coker and James Cluffin Executors of this my last
 Will and Testament, as Witness my hand and Seal this tenth day of
 June One Thousand Seven hundred and Eighty Five

Sealed & Signed in the

Presence of
 John H. Claiborne
 Charles Harrison
 Thomas Claiborne junr.

Wm Presley Claiborne

A. Cordial to the foregoing Will —

Whereas since the Publication of the foregoing Will I have recovered against
 Fortville Marable by our Court of Law the Right to the Land & Plantations
 in this County wherein the Courthouse Tavern & other Public Buildings stand and
 being desirous that the said Land should be applied to a particular Purpose

It is one of another Court before said County the 6th day of October 1796 Thomas Claiborne Jr appeared in
 Court and being sworn that that he will deliver the name of Mary Presley as wife of William Presley who
 is now dead as a Witness to the Court annexed to the will of William Presley
 Wm Presley Claiborne Jr.

And as another Court has said being the 10th day of October 1786 Thomas Claiborne Jr appeared in Court and being sworn that the words between the name of Philip Hughes was written by said Hughes who is dead as a witness to the Court arrived to the will of Wm P Claiborne Jr. the said Philip Hughes

of which I have taken no notice before I do now declare it to be my mind & desire that the said Land should be sold, by my Executors at Public Auction for the best Price that may be had for it & so much of the Proceeds as will be sufficient to discharge & satisfy The Debt Interest, & Charges of a Suit now depending against me in Sussex County Court, commenced by William Edwards's Executors, be applied to that purpose, and I do devise & bequeath the said Tract of Land & the appurtenances to my Executors named in the foregoing Will & their heirs to sell and dispose of for that use, If there should be any Overplus after discharging the aforementioned demand, I desire my Executors will pay the same to John Nott Esq. of Prince Edward in part of his demand against William Claiborne & should the Suit now depending as aforesaid against me be dismissed or otherwise avoided yet still I subject the aforesaid Land & Plantations in the same manner to the Payment of the Debt due on the Bond on which the said Suit is commenced which is against me as Security to William Edwards dead for the said William Claiborne. I desire this may be read & taken as a Codicil to the foregoing Will & be part thereof. In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & affixed my Seal this thirtieth day of September One thousand seven hundred & Eighty five

Signed Sealed & Published by the Testator in the Presence of us
Jm. H. Claiborne, Phillip Hughes
Rich. C. Claiborne

Wm P. Claiborne

At a Court held for Sussex County the 20th day of July 1786
This last Will & Testament of Wm P. Claiborne deceased with the Codicil annexed was presented in Court by Lucy & Dutton Claiborne the Exors therein named & approved by the oath of The Commissioners of the Writings thereof & ordered to be Recorded, Non obstante the said said Exors who made oath that the said Certificate is granted them for obtaining a Record thereof in due form
Jm. H. Claiborne, Phillip Hughes, Rich. C. Claiborne

40 Dr Estate of Jacob Boice Deceased in Acc. Curr.

Jacob Boice 1783 acc. curr his estate			
To Boarding & Funeral	28	..	
Shirt found for to be Buried	15	..	
Pair of breeches found	15	..	
Shelt found	1	10	..
p. Robert Jones for a Coffin	16	..	
p. Doctor Conner for 10 of French Legumines	1	6	
p. John Cooke for Commemoration	6	3	
p. Thomas Nelson for Advertising in Gazette	3	..	
p. Frederick Jones Acc. Debit to	1	8	..
p. Nicholas Partridge	1	7	..
p. Josua Lucy	6	6	
p. James Turner	6	..	
p. Henry Parsons	3	..	
To Commissioners for selling Estate	2	19	
To p. for Acc. Inventory & Appraisement	1	11	3
To p. Return Acc. Current	5	7 1/2	
To p. Capt William Harrison for a bottle Wine	1	6	
			3-10-1 1/2
With James Chappell Comon.			39-10-4 1/2
1783 Apr 19. By Am. of Sales	10	9	2 3/4
Cash found in his Pocket	6	..	
By Order to the Treasurer	20	17	3
			£40-12-5 1/4
			£-16-1 1/4

We the Auditors having Examined the above Accot. find it to be
Justly stated.

At a Court held for Superior County the 20 day of July 1786
Aud. Mason
Moses Graves

EX This Account Current of Jacob Boice deceased was presented in Court by
James Chappell the Administrator, was Audited and approved of
with the Auditors Report Ordered to be Recorded

Teste
Wm. Bailey & Co

And at another Court held for said County the 1st day of April 1780
 the said Will and Testament was further proved by Benjamin Powell
 Joseph Dennis and Abraham Powell
 John Bailey C. Secy

divided amongst all my Children

And lastly I constitute and appoint, my loving Wife Frances Randolph
 and my friend Robert Jones whole & Sole Executors of this my last Will and
 Testament declaring this and this only to be my last Will & Testament
 In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & Seal this second day
 of May, Anno Domini One Thousand Seven hundred & Eighty Six -

Sealed & Acknowledged

Peter Randolph

In presence of

Isel Atkinson

Joseph Dennis

Abraham Powell

A Court held in Sussex County the 20th day of July 1780
 The last Will & Testament of Peter Randolph deced was presented in Court by
 Robert Jones one of the Executors therein named, was proved by the oath of
 Isel Atkinson one of the Witnesses thereto, and on the motion of the said Exor
 who made oath according to law, Certificate is granted for obtaining a
 Probate thereof in due form

Teste John Bailey C. Secy

The Estate of William Hunt deced, In Acco^{ts} Current

1774	To p ^r John Peter his Acct 21 st 1/2 p ^r Edmund Cullum of	1. 10. 3.
1775	To p ^r James Jones p ^r Acct.	2. 17. 1/2
1776	To p ^r Augustine Packman & Secretary 418 th 1/2 p ^r	2. 12. 3
1776	To p ^r Charles Briggs & Company	104. 18. 10
Jan 20	To p ^r Robert Wagoner his Account.	- 10. - 1/2
Nov 18	To p ^r Ambrose Newport	7. 10. -
Dec 19	To p ^r William Weather	2. 9. 4
1777	To p ^r Thomas Westbrook p ^r Bond	58. 10. -
Jan 4	To p ^r John Mason p ^r Acct.	2. 7. 5/4
	To p ^r ditto ditto per Peter Jennings' Acct.	1. 2. 6
30	To p ^r Thomas Peale p ^r Bond	5. 4. 4
Apr 1	To p ^r William Thomas Carrington p ^r Bond	7. 17. -
	To p ^r James Jones p ^r Bond	7. - -
	To p ^r Jesse Williamson p ^r Bond	4. 13. 10
	To p ^r Doctor Peale p ^r Acct.	- 18. 6
Carried forward		214. 2. 2

	Am. Bro. Forward	214. 2. 2	(414)
	Top ^d John Lottuff Accot.	13 1/2	
	Top ^d Peter Tayan for the hands of B. Clements	25. . .	
	Top ^d for 2 Gallons Brandy at the Sale	10. .	
	Top ^d John King, Accot.	1. . .	
7	Top ^d Michael Blon f Bond.	5. 17 1/2	
10	Top ^d Thomas Jenkins 3/3 Top ^d See Mr. Lott 16/8	2. 7. 11	
17	Top ^d Henry Leland 7/4 Top ^d William Edwards 5/6	4. 2. 0	
21	Top ^d Top ^d Williamson 9/2 Top ^d Rich ^d Christian 25/2	1. 14. 4 1/2	
June 12	Top ^d Shadrach Stonebrow 12/6 Top ^d Rich ^d Parker 15/-	1. 2. 6	
Aug ^d 11	Top ^d Henry Taylor Bond 3/10 Top ^d B. Bailey 10/3	2. 4. 1 1/2	
1778	Top ^d John Bergman 23 1/2 + Top ^d Parkers Exors 17/6	1. 19 7 1/2	
Feb ^d 21	Top ^d William Parkers Exors f Sedgment	51. 9. 1	
Op ^d	Top ^d Thomas William f Bond	14. 2. 4	
1779	Top ^d William Harrison for Col ^d Allen	7. 4	
Oct ^d	Top ^d Howell & Co	3. 5. 10	
1783 Apr ^d	Top ^d Cargille Exors f Bond	7. . 6.	
	Top ^d Will Parkers Executors (Bk head)	1. 1. 8	
	Top ^d Nathaniel Harrison Admt. of Henry Harrison decd f the hands of Ben Clements Accot.	18. . .	
	Top ^d for Acc ^d Accot Current	8. 5	
	To Cash Paper Money Rec ^d in the Year 1778 Including my Commissions for selling the Estate	38. . .	<u>£390. 9. 2 1/2</u>
1774	With John Peters & Ben ^d Clements his Exors		
Apr ^d 29	By Amot Sales of the personal Estate	110. 1. 1 1/2	
	By d ^d of Negroe boy Seywell	41. 11. .	
1777	By do. do. Girl Beck	21. 10. 6.	
	By do. do. Randolph	73. 3. 6	
	By do. do. Isham	76. . 3.	
	By James Johnson	12. . .	
	By Walkers Order on Bergman	13. . .	
	By Cash due from Ben Clements	25. . .	
	By do. Rec ^d by d ^d d ^d from Wm. Graves	19. . .	<u>£390. 9. 2 1/2</u>
	E & John Peters		

In Obedience to an Order of Suffolk County Court the Librarians have Audited this Acct. & had sufficient Vouchers produced for each Debit except that of the Top^d in paper Money but on being informed of the circumstances attending that affair we are of Opinion that charge is reasonable and that the whole Account is fairly stated Given under our hands this fourth day of July 1786 Black Bailey David Mason

Ex^c

A Court held for Sussex County the 25th day of July 1786
 The Court was convened with the Auditors report thereto annexed,
 which together with the Auditors Report is ordered to be recorded

Teste
 Michl Bailey & Co

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A Court held for Sussex County the 27th day of Sept 1786
 The last Will & Testament of Wm. Henry further proved by the oath of
 Howell Harrison one of the Witnesses thereto he also made oath that
 he saw Nathl. Henr. subscribe as a Witness who is since dead

Teste Michl Bailey & Co

In the Name of God Amen I Robert Magee of
 the County of Sussex do make this my last Will and Testament
 I assign my Soul to its Creator in all humble hope of its being enjoyed
 Eternally. I hereby make and appoint my Son Harmon Magee &
 John Mason (Sandy Hill) executors of this my last Will & Testament
 my Will is that all my Just debts be first paid and dispose of my
 Estate as follows —

- Item I give and bequeath to my Son Harmon Magee a Mare Bridle
 & Saddle & Gun to him & his heirs forever
- Item I give and bequeath to my Son Robert Magee a Horse of the
 Value of Ten Pounds with a Bridle Saddle & Gun to him and
 his heirs forever
- Item I give to my Son Clements Magee a Horse of the Value of Ten pounds
 with a Bridle Saddle & Gun which two last legacies I give to them
 at the time of their becoming twenty one Years of age to them &
 their heirs forever
- Item I leave to my loving Wife during her natural life all the residue of
 my whole estate whatsoever and at her death the Land whereon
 I now live, I give and devise to my youngest Son Clements Magee
 to him & his heirs forever — and all the residue of my whole

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Estate to be equally divided amongst my surviving Children & to
them & their heirs forever — Now if my Son Clements Magee
should die before he become Twenty one years of age or be-
fore his Mother, my desire is that the land herein mentioned
should be sold and the Money arising from the sale to be
equally divided amongst all my Children

this is my last Will & Testament revoking all other Wills,
sealed with my own seal and dated this eleventh day of June
One thousand Seven hundred & eighty six

Sign Sealed & Delivered by the
Testator as his last Will & Testament } Robert Magee (Seal)

in presence of

Thomas James

Joel ^{his} Harais
 ^{month}

Deputy & Magee

Joshua Fork

At a Court held for Suffolk County the 25th day of Sept. 1786
The last Will and Testament of Robert Magee was exhibited in Court
by Harmon Magee one of the executors therein named proved by the
Oaths of Thomas James, Deputy Magee and Joshua Fork three of
the Witnesses thereto & Ordered to be recorded and on the Motion of
said Executor who made Oath according to Law and gave Bond
with William Magee & Amos William his Securities in the pe-
nalty of Five hundred Pounds conditioned as the Law directs Certifi-
cate is granted here for obtaining a Probate thereof in due form

Teste Mich^l C. Bailey Cl. Cor.

San Jose
In the
Estate

An Inventory and Appraisement of the Estate of David Jones
taken the month of May 1786

Agree Price	15.00
Bills Rogers	48.00
Bills Town	65.00
Bills Mann	35.00
Bills Lenny	60.00
Bills Lee	5.00
Bills Austin	65.00
Bills Stephen	60.00
Bills Sling	50.00
Bills Jann	30.00
Bills George	15.00
Two feather Bed Furniture	25.00
Twelve Walnut Chairs	4.00
Two looking Glasses	1.15.00
Three Tables	2.00
Three Chests	25.00
Six chairs	8.00
One Pair of Scales	7.60
Two Flax Wheels	1.10.00
One pt Spoon Moats	7.00
One pt Money Scales	10.00
Three Copper Boxes 3 Canisters and two Sugar Boxes	10.00
Kists Bottles & Case 6 Tea Spoons Horse Nails & Spectacles	1.10.00
Parcel of China Ware 6 Cups & Saucers and Four Bells	1.5.00
Parcel of Earthen and Crochery Ware	1.00
1 Watch	6.00
One Case of Masons Shop and Stone	18.00
One Case of Bottles	1.5.00
Parcel of Books	2.5.00
Three Shillits two Tea Kettles 1 Coffee Pot and Spice Mortar	1.15.00
Five Butter Pots and two Sags	15.00
Five Candle Molds one Flax Hatchell & nine Deep Hooks	7.15.00
Parcel of Leather and old Lumber	12.00
One Mare	10.00
Cart and Wheels Cart Shannops Row and a Roe	1.15.00
Parcel of Bacon & Soap	2.00
One Hand Mill	1.00
Five pots one Dutch Oven 3 Shaving Pens Iron pot Rack & Kettle	3.00
Three pt Pot hooks 2 trivets 1 Grid Iron Skimmer & 2 Red hooks	10.00
Parcel trays Curls & Sifters	6.00
Two Wheels & Caras	3.00
Four Sows & Seventeen Pigs	4.00
Two Cows	12.00
Three Barrels Seven Cyder Casks one Rundlet	1.7.00
Six Stone Sags 1 1/2 Gallons Linseed Oyl	1.00
Two Drying Roes 9 Roes 6 Acres	1.10.00
One Tenant Saw 1 Whipsaw & Saw different kinds	3.00

	One pt. Shelly m ^{ts}	£ 2.18
	One ch. Rains raising P ^l ans &c	12. -
	Thaler N. Hollins & P ^l ans	2. 5. 8
	Parcel Cogges & Chisels 3 Screw Plates	2. 12. -
	Parcel of Augers 2, Bung Bores 2 Drawing Knives	2. 10. -
	One Curved Knife 1 Head Hooks & Bills	1. 15. -
	Eleven P ^l ans of different Things	1. 16. -
	Cornish and Ten Two frame Saws	3. 10. -
	Gauges & Glen Pitt Squares Compases & Cornells	1. 16. -
	Parcel of Chisels and Cogges Hammers and Ayl Stone	1. 10. -
	Two Chamber Pots Box Iron hesters 3 pt. Tonges	1. 4. -
	Parcel of Tiles & Brass Nails	1. 10. -
	a quantity of Corn	6. 5. -
	a Set of Blacksmiths Tools	3. 7. 6
15. -	1 pt. Cart Wheel hoops & Nails	12. 6. 8
	Work begun in the Shop Timber and Patterns	3. 10. -
5.4	Lay the 11 Wheel Paint Stone & Instruments	10. -
8. -	Green Stone and Whit Stones	2. -
7. 6p	Paint White Lead &c	6. -
10. -	Two Wood Saws & Work Benches	1. -
7.4	Three Bottles Candles & Glen	1. -
10. -	Thirty one Paster Plates 5 Dishes 5 do Basons	14. -
10. -	Eleven Tart Cans Paster Spoons 15	3. 10. -
10. -	Six knives & Six Forks 9 Old knives & Seven forks	10. 4
5. -	Two Candles Sticks & Snuffers two Swords	12. -
	Parcel of Old Lumber	1. 4. -
	One Cow & Calf & Bell	3. 10. -
12. -	Six large Turkeys Thirty eight small	15. -
5. -	Twenty one Dunghill hens	13. 6
5. -	One old Side Saddle	2. 6
15. -	Three Raw hides	12. -
15. -	Davis Jones Wearing Apparel	2. -
15. -	One Meal Chest	1. -
12. -	One Green Rod	1. 3
	One Sell Cart Wheel Naves	3. -

May 15th 1786

The Whole amt. -

£ 504. 2. 5 1/2

We the Subscribers being appointed to appraise the estate of Davis Jones
 And then being first Sworn hath appraised the said Estate as above
 Given under our hands the above date

James Chappell
 Henry Chappell
 Nath^l Solie

At a Court held for Litch County the 21st day of Sept. 1786
 This Inventory & Appraisalment of the Estate of Davis Jones aforesaid
 was returned into Court and Ordered to be Recorded

Task Wick Bailey & Co

A. Hancock
Will.

In the Name of God Amen I Rebecca Hancock of the Parish
of All Saints & County of Sussex being Sane and awake but of
sound mind and disposing Memory do make hereafter this my
last Will & Testament in manner following (to wit)

I give and devise to my Daughter Elizabeth, one large Black
Leather Trunk, her choice of my Flax Wheels one looking Glass
and all my wearing apparel to her and her heirs forever

I give and devise to my Son Clement two Negroes namely Isaac
& George also One Feather Bed and Furniture One Saddle &
Saddle & Corner Cupboard to him & his heirs forever

I give and devise to my Son Michael M^r Hancock One Negro
Woman named Sarah One Feather Bed and Furniture &
One Walnut Chest of Drawers to him and his heirs forever

My Will & desire is that One hundred & eighty five Acres of
Land more or less being the Land purchased of Benjamin
Hancock may be equally divided between my two Sons
Clement & Michael when they shall arrive to the Age of
Twenty one years

My Will & desire is that all the remainder of my Estate of
what nature or kind soever may be sold to pay my Debts
the Balance thereof I give to my Son Michael &
his heirs forever

And Lastly I do Nominate & appoint Anselm Williams & John
Mason whole & Sole Executors of this my last Will & Testament
and desire this my Estate may not be appraised. In Witness
whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Seal
this Seventeenth day of May One thousand Seven hundred &
Eighty six

Signed Seal published & declared

to be the last Will & Testament of the
above named Rebecca Hancock In
presence of us who at her request in her
presence Wrote the same

J^r Cunningham

William Wynne

Rebecca Hancock Seal

At a Court held for Sussex County the 21st Day of September 1786

The last Will & Testament of Rebecca Hancock aforesaid was presented
in Court by Anselm Williams and John Mason the Executors therein
named proved by the Oaths of John Cunningham & Mr Wynne the
Witnesses thereto and Ordered to be recorded And on Motion of

the said Executors who made Bath and gave Bond with
 Henry Cooper John Carter Mr. Myne their Securities in the
 Penalty of Five thousand Pounds Conditioned as the Law
 directs Certificate is granted them for obtaining a Patent
 thereof in due form

Teste Michl Bailey Clerk

1782	To the Estate of William Moore dec'd of Surber County	
Sept.	To paid for Tax 1781 w th the Maiden & Paid 1775 & paper	
1782	Currency equal to 36 also to 3 Cts Tax 18p	1. 1. 6
Sept.	To Cash p ^d Tamm ^r Hensons dec'd of £40.5 Currency	13. -
	To Cash p ^d Col ^l the lecture p ^d Dec ^r 1782 to 12/6	5. 8. 4 1/2
1784	To Cash p ^d for Sundries which I neglected to take up for a long time	5. 5. 5.
Apr. 10	To Cash p ^d James Walkers dec'd in full	7. -
Nov. 20	To Cash p ^d Col ^l Dan ^d Fisher for Sundry executions	131. 1. 7
1785	To ditto p ^d ditto in part of a Bond due Cha. Briggs &c.	10. 7. 10 1/2
Aug. 15	To ditto p ^d Thomas Green dec'd in full	14. 5.
1786	To ditto p ^d Rich ^d Gregory esq ^r his dec'd for fees	1. 2. 6
14	To ditto p ^d Meach ^r High his dec'd in full	3. -
23	To ditto p ^d James Adams his dec'd in full	2. 6
Mar 4	To ditto p ^d Herman Baker Esq ^r in part for a fee	2. 10. -
23	To ditto p ^d Charles Williams dec'd in full	3. 3. -
Apr 11	To p ^d William Vaughan's dec'd in full	4. -
	To ditto p ^d Rich ^d Meason in p ^t of his Judgment	2. 9. 3
		1789. 4. 6
1786		
Aug. 19	To Balance due as p ^d Contra	46. 18. 1
	To Int. on ditto from the 26 th Nov ^r 1780 till the present date 1 Year 9 Months	4. 1. 1
	To my services from the 1 st of Dec ^r 1781 till the present date also travelling expenses paper &c. (my trouble has been very great) Bal due James Vaughan	50. 19. 2
		15. -
		65. 19. 2
1782	In Acc ^t Current with James Vaughan	60. -
Sept. 5	By Int ^r of Sundry Articles viz ^t	
	1 Small Gun 35/ (L ^y) 1 Old Tol ^l 16 th 4/-	2. 4. -
	1 Gray Horse (very old) which I swapped away for which I think I have allowed sufficiently his Value but am wil- ling to have it left to any good Man, the Value but is annu- al	18. -
1784	1 Old Corner Capboard 35/ 5 Old Chairs 15/-	2. 5. -
Jan ^y	1 Gazetteer omitted in 1783	12. -
Mar 1	3 Pint Jug	1. 6
Nov. 20	1 Old dark Bay Horse 45/ 1 Hunting 3/-	3. 16. -
	1 Looking Glass & 2 Small trunks 15/6	15. 6
	2 Beds with Matts (only) & 1 Trunk &c.	6. 5. -

421.)	1 Old Case with one or two Bottles & 2 Chests 22 1/2	1. 2. 6
	1 1/2 Cast Wheel Boxes 10 1/2 Sunday old Books 6 1/2	16. 6.
	a parcel of Old Wheels &c. &c. of Tools & 1 1/2 Tongs &c. 7 1/2	13. 6.
	Sundry old Articles of 1 Belt Middle Sticks &c. fine Mortar &c. 10 1/2	1. 2. -
	a parcel of Old Ruler &c. 1 1/2 1 Old Pett & 2 1/2 books &c.	1. 1. -
	1 Old Tying Can & 1 1/2 Leagues 7 1/2	3. 6.
	Sales by Ben. a. Groverich D. L. Greensville Virg.	
	3 Negroes to Wit Tenar an Old Wench	18. -
	Am a Plough Boy in Use	43. 12. 6
	Land a Boy a Use &c.	37. 15. 6
	By Cash Collected Virg. (Old Debt)	
1783	from Andrew Newsoms Estate	£ 5. 9 3/4
1782	from Capt. Wm. Myrick in part payment of his Bond of 2130 given for Canoe	6. -
1785	from Henchey, Rochell to the best of my recollection at Sussex Court	5. -
1786	Aug. 12 By Cash Collected from Levy William	12. 7 1/2
		£ 132. 6. 5 1/4
	Per Balance due James Vaughan	46. 12. 6
	Paide George Let The justness of the above acct.	£ 179. 4. 6
	Given to by James Vaughan before me this 21 st day of Sept. 4 th 1786 Isaac Hall.	

In Obedience to an Order of the Worshippful Court of Sussex we
have examined the within Account & find that there is a Balance
due James Vaughan the Sum of Sixty five Pounds nineteen
Shillings & five Pence Given under our Hands this 21st day of
Sept. 1786

Wm Lamb
Benjamin Hanniwell
Thos. Hunt

At Court held for Sussex County the 21st day of Sept 1786
this Account Current of the Estate of William Moore dec'd
was returned into Court by James Vaughan, Audited and
with the Auditors report is Ordered to be recorded

Teste

Thos Bailey Clerk

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And at another Court held for the said County the 19 day of October 1786.
The said Will was further proved by the oath of John Long another
Witness thereto.
(Supp. 360 for Will)
Foster Michael Bailey & Co

In the name of God Amen I Charles Knight of Sussex County being sick
and Weak but of sound mind and memory thanks be to a bountiful
God for the same but calling to mind that it is appointed for all
Men once to Die and as the Lord has been gracious in giving me
a little of this Worlds Goods I do give it and bestow it in manner
and form following to Wit
Imprimis My Will and desire is that fifty Acres of my Land
lying on the Black Sack Branch be sold and the Money arising
therefrom be applied to the paying of my Debts
Item, I Send to my Well beloved Wife Mary Knight one Horse
and two Cows & Calves and one middle size Coll Shocks of rack
and two feather Beds and furniture and side Saddles & Bridle
and half a Dozen pewter plates two Dishes and one basin
with her Loom & all the gear thereunto belonging with a
sufficiency of provision for the remainder part of the Year
also a safe & one Chest also five Chairs Six knives & Forks also
two Tubs & Spade & Peggins & one Table also two barrows & one Cow
and eight Pigs all to her during her natural life or Widowhood.
Item, Give to my Son Winchey Knight the Remainder part of my Land
all to him and his Heirs forever.
Item. My Will and desire is that all the remainder part of my Estate
of whatsoever kind be sold to the highest bidder and the Money
arising therefrom should be applied to the Discharging of my Debts.
And Lastly I Do appoint Winchey Rockell and Isaac Rockell
my Sole Executors of this my Last Will & Testament denying any
other by me made as Witnesses my hand & Seal this Twentieth
day of May 1786

Signed Seal & Declare to be the Subscriber last
Will & Testament of the Subscriber in Presence of
Nathl. Rock. Amey & Freeman,
Witnesses
Charles Knight Seal

At a Court held for Sussex County the 19th day of October 1780.

The Last Will and Testament of Charles King, late dec^d was exhibited in Court by Hinshay Rochell & Lucy Rochell the Executors therein named proved by the Oaths of Nath^l. Will. Amey Treiman and Michael Hill the Witnesses thereto & Ordered to be recorded And on the Motion of the said Executors who gave Bond as the Law directs Certificate is granted them for obtaining a Probate thereof in due form

Teste Mich^l. Bailey Esq. Cuy

(Signature)

T. Coopers
Will

In the Name of God Amen August 10th 1780 I Thomas Cooper of the County of Sussex and Parish of Ambermark being of sound disposing mind & memory thanks be to the Almighty God for the same do make order constitute & appoint that my Last Will & Testament in manner & form following that is to say Item I leave to the use of my Loving Wife Phoebe Cooper all my Estate during life, after Paying all just debts.

Item I leave unto my three sons Benjamin Cooper William Cooper & John Cooper One each after the death of my Wife

Item I give unto my son Benjamin Cooper a piece of land lying & joining Gilberts Johnsons & Patums line as far as the Little branch then up the said branch to a timber tree then from the timber tree up to the upper end of the great Pond joining Johnsons line

Item I give to my son John Cooper the Plantation whereon I now live being the remainder of the said land also 1 Negroe Woman Call after the Death of my Wife

Item I give unto my sons Ben & John Cooper 1 Pot each after the death of my wife

Item I give & devise that one half of my estate be equally divided between James Cooper Elizabeth Cooper Simeon Cooper & William Cooper after the death of my wife

and the other half to be Divided between Benjamin Cooper & John Cooper. I will that my Estate shall not be

C. W. H. Will

Appraiser none Inventory returned of the same, & lastly do
appoint Capt. Lawrence Smith & James Cooper executors
of this my last will & Testament. In witness whereof I have
hereunto set my hand & Seal the day & year above men-
tioned

Thos. Cooper 

Signed Sealed Published
& Delivered in the presence of

James Gilbert
Lucy Gilbert
Robert Jones

At a Court held for Sussex County the 19th day of Oct. 1736
The last Will and Testament of Thomas Cooper deceased was ex-
hibited in Court by James Cooper one of the executors therein
named proved by the Oath of Robert Jones one of the witness-
es thereto & ordered to be recorded & on motion of said Testor
Certificate is granted him for obtaining a Probate thereof
due form

Teste Michl. B. (Bridg. Clerk)

W. Hartley

In the name of God Amen I Clement Hartley of the County of Sussex
and Parish of Albemarle being through the abundant mercy & goodness
of God though weak in Body yet of a sound and perfect mind understand-
ing and Memory do constitute this my last Will & Testament, and desire
it to be received by all as such.

I pray that I most humbly beseech my Soul to God my maker who
give it humbly imploring his most gracious acceptance thereof at
the last day as for my body I desire it may be decently Buried
without Comp or State at the Discretion of my dear wife & executors
hereafter named

I give & bequeath to my dear and loving wife Catherine Hartley
the Land and Plantation whereon I now live during her life or Widow-
hood and at her Marriage or Death to be equally divided between
my two Sons Charles & Josiah to them & their heirs forever

Item I do give and bequeath to my loving Wife my Stock of Horses Cattle
Sheep and Hogs for her life or Widowhood and at her Marriage or
Death to be sold and the Proceeds arising therefrom to be equally
divided among my five Daughters to wit Clarice Hartley
Elizabeth Hartley Anne Hartley Mary Hartley & Sarah
Hartley to them & their Heirs forever

Item I do give and bequeath to my Wife all my Household goods
and Furniture of every kind during her life or Widowhood & at her
Marriage or Death to be equally divided among my five Daugh-
ters above mentioned

Item I give and bequeath to my Mother in Law Sarah Freeman
Goodum one bed & Furniture like one ^{more} ~~these~~ during her life or
continuance with my Family and at her Death or leaving my
Family to be divided equally between my five Daughters

My Will is that if my Wife requesteth to make a lawful conveyance
of Land by me sold in Maryland to Benjamin Preson or request
she shall not be entitled to any part of my Estate above mentioned
but in making a conveyance of the aforesaid Land when
ever requested then her right shall stand good to the above
mentioned Premises in the form & manner above mentioned

Item I do constitute and appoint my Father Joseph Hartley exe-
cutor with my Wife executrix of this my last Will & Testament
In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this
eighteenth day of August in the year of our Lord Christ Anno dom 1786

Signed Sealed & Delivered

In presence of
William Coates
William Jarric
Philip Williams

Clement Hartley August 18th 1786

Ex^o
ct^o

A Court held for Sussex County the 19th day of October 1786
The last Will and Testament of Clement Hartley was presented into
Court by Joseph Hartley the executor therein named was proved by
the Oaths of William Coates & Philip Williams two of the Wit-
nesses thereto and ordered to be recorded & on motion of said executor
Certificate is granted him for obtaining a Probate thereof in
due form

Teste
M^{rs} Bailey Cl. Cur

In the Name of God Amen. The Twenty ninth day of August
in the year of our Lord God one thousand seven hundred and
seventy five Nicola Stokes of the Parish of Alben and
County of Sussex being of Perfect mind & memory do make
and ordain this my last Will & Testament, as followeth that is
to say first and Principally I commend my Soul to God that
gave it, and my Body to the Earth to be decently Buried at
the discretion of my Executors hereafter named and as
Touching such worldly estate and hath Pleased God to
bless me with, I give — devise & dispose of the same
in manner & form following

I give and bequeath to my Son Micajah Stokes Two Negroes now in
his possession Viz. Jeph and Emanuel

My Will and desire is that all my Wearing apparel & Books be
equally divided between my Daughters that shall be living at my
Death

My Will and desire is that all the residue of my estate which
shall never be sold and the Money arising from such sale after
my Debts & Funeral expences be paid be equally divided among
my Children that shall be living at my Death except my Son
Micajah Stokes which I exclude having given him what I intend
ed before, and except my Daughter Elizabeth Knight, for I
desire that her portion may be taken out of her portion of my
estate. In consideration of the use of a Negro they have had in
my life time

And I do hereby appoint, constitute and ordain my two Sons
Marcus Stokes & Silvanus Stokes sole executor of this my last
Will & Testament & do hereby disannul revoke and make void
all former Wills & Testaments whatsoever attesting & confirming
this & none other to be my last Will & Testament Sealed with my
Seal and dated the day & year above written

Acknowledged in presence of

Silvanus Pitt

Nathaniel Newson

Robert Jones

Nicola Stokes 

At a Court held for Sussex County the 19th day of Oct. 1786
 The Last Will & Testament of Cicelia Stokes was presented in Court
 and proved by the Oath of Robert Jones & Silvanus Pelt two of
 the witnesses thereto and ordered to be recorded & on Motion of
 Hamilton Stokes Treasman Administration with the Will
 annexed is granted him & gave Bond with John Knight
 and Sham Williams his sureties in the Penalty of Two
 Thousand pounds conditioned as the Law directs

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Teste
 M^{rs} Bailey Clary

1786

Cicelia's
 Last Will
 Estate

True and Perfect Inventory & the Appraisement of
 the Estate of Thomas Caeson deceased

land	To one Negro Man	£50.-
	To 12 head of Cattle	20 15
	To 9 Sheep	3 7 6
	To 11 Dogs	5 10
	To 2 Horses	18 16 9
	To 4 Pigs	20 -
	To 1 Cows	4 -
	To a parcel of Books	2 13 4
	To 3 Chests	1 4
	To 10 Chairs	1 5
	To a parcel of Quilt	1 15
	To a parcel of Tin ware	6
	To a parcel of Stone ware	1 15
	To a parcel of Glass & Peware	12 9
	To 3 Spinning Wheels	1 -
	To 1 Loom & Rameuses	1 5
	To Kitchen Furniture	4 5
	To 2 Riding Saddles & Bridles	1 10
	To 9 Baskets	10 -
	To 4 pair of Cotton & Wool Cards	12
	To Carpenters Tools	15
	To Turning Tools	10
	To 1 Saw	6 -
	To plantation Earth & Cage Tools	2 7 6
	To Mill Ropes & Iron Works	3 -
	To 2 Iron Caskets & 5 Rings	10
	To 1 Sword	1 3
	To 1 pair of Pistols	12 -
	To 1 pair of Buckles & Trunk	15
	To a parcel of Sand Leather	3 -

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W. Hicks's
 Appraiser
 his Estate

To 1 Trunk & a parcel of Linen	£ 12. -
To 1 Looking Glass	2. -
To 10 Cider Casks	2. -
To 5 Barrels	12. 6
To Cart & Wheel, Ploughs & harness	1. 5. -
To 3 pairs of Shoes	6. -

Nicholas Caeson Esq.

1796 Sep. 1. We the subscribers have appraised the Estate of the above Deceased agreeable to order as above

Henry Farr and jun.
James Turner
Howell Chappell

At a Court held for Sussex County the 19th day of October 1796.
This Inventory & Appraisement of the Estate of Thomas
Caeson was returned & by the Court Ordered to be Recorded

John Mickle Bailey Esq.

W. Beckers
Wholesale
his Estate

The Appraisement & Inventory of the Estate of William Beckers

1 Cow & Calf at	£ 2. 10. -
1 Cow	3. -
1 Cow & Calf	1. 10. -
2 Horses	4. -
2 Small Steers	2. 5. -
9 Sheep at 7/6	3. 7. 6
2 Yearlings at 15/	1. 10. -
1 Horse at	9. -
1 Bed & Furniture	7. 10. -
1 Bed & Furniture	6. -
1 Bed & Furniture	4. 10. -
1 Chest	7. 6
2 Chests	12. 6
1 Gun	6. -
The Culbourn Furniture	3. 10. -
1 Gun	17. 6
6 Chain	12. -
1 Looking glass	1. 3
1 Sword	1. 3
1 Trunk	3. -
2 Tables	6. -

1 Saddle & Darts d	£ 15
1 Bed & Furniture	3
The Sofa & Furniture	18
4 Baskets of 76 P. D. d	1. 10
6 Plates of 4 1/2 P. Plate	1. 4
12 Plates of 2 1/2 P. Plate	1. 4
5 Basons of 3 1/2 P. Plate	15
12 Spoons of 6 P. Spoon	6
A parcel of Lumber d	2. 6
7 Hums & Sinks d	6
1 P. of Stillards d	1
Tubule and flesh Sinks d	2. 6
2 Bolders of 6 P. Bolder	1
2 Heap hools of 7 1/2 P. Hols	1. 3
Carpenters Tools d	12. 6
Long & Short and Box Iron d	5
Spin Wheel & Cards d	15
2 Iron Hedges d	5
A parcel of 6 Iron	7. 6
2 Iron Hedges d 10 1/2 P. H.	1
2 Poles d 13 1/2 P. H.	1. 16
1 Sizing pan d	5
2 Tub. Pail & Taps d	1/2
A parcel of Lumber d	2. 6
1 Cur Stone d	2
A parcel of Axes d	8
A parcel of Axes d	18
Plough, Plough har & harrow d	1
Cart & Wheels & harness d	1
1 Hand Mill d	1. 18
4 Hogheads d 4 1/2 P. 4 1/2	1. 15
A parcel of Casks d	1. 8
7 Bushels of Wheat d 4 1/2 P. 13 1/2	4. 13. 4
7 1/2 Barrels of Corn d 12 1/2 P. 6 1/2	3. 15
5 Sides of Leather d 15 1/2 P. 1	5
A parcel of small Shins d	6
1 Set of Cart Wheel Irons d	12
A parcel of Wood d	1
A parcel of Cotton d	12
A parcel of Lumber d	6
A parcel of Boots d	5
A part in a Cro. Seal Saw	15
3 Lines of Bels d 8 1/2 P. 1 1/2	1. 3
1 Pail d	1. 5
A parcel of Bacon d	3. 15
10 Hogs d	5
2 Skins d 5 1/2 P. Skins	3
1 Bed d	5
also 1 feather Bed	

Amount £ 109. 2. 3

In obedience to an order of Court held for Sussex County the 22nd day February 1782 we William Tappin, Ebenezer Ogden and Drury Lane have appraised the Estate of William Hicks deceased

James Hicks Executor

At a Court held for Sussex County the 19th day of Oct. 1786 This Inventory & appraisement of the estate of William Hicks deceased was returned & by the Court ordered to be recorded

Teste

Mark^B Bailey Cl. Com.

Acc^t of the Appraisement of y^e Estate of Wm^t Hardy Dec^d

To 11 Head of Cattle	£ 16 ⁰⁰ 00
To 1 Cupboard	1 ⁰⁰ 10
To a Parcel of Crockery Ware	1 ⁰⁰ 17 ⁰⁰ 9
To 4 Leather Beds & Furniture	29 ⁰⁰ 00
To 1 Cradle bed and Truss	2 ⁰⁰ 00
To 4 pine Chests	5 ⁰⁰ 7 ⁰⁰ 6
To 1 Box & 2 Trunks	9 ⁰⁰ 00
To 1 Lining Wheel	10 ⁰⁰ 00
To 1 Woman's Saddle & Bridle	1 ⁰⁰ 16 ⁰⁰ 00
To 1 Man's Saddle	1 ⁰⁰ 4 ⁰⁰ 00
To 4 Chairs	1 ⁰⁰ 00 00
To 2 Flat Irons	6 ⁰⁰ 00
To 1 pair Sticks	2 ⁰⁰ 00
To 1 pine Table & Looking Glass	14 ⁰⁰ 03
To 1 pair fire Tongue Shovel, Candlestick & Stove	8 ⁰⁰ 06
To 1 Run & 1 Spindstone	1 ⁰⁰ 15 ⁰⁰ 00
To 4 head of Sheep & 11 Geese	4 ⁰⁰ 3 ⁰⁰ 9
To a parcel of Books, Money scales & Weights	4 ⁰⁰ 5 ⁰⁰ 00
To 2 pen Knives & 1 Slate & 3 Claw hoes	13 ⁰⁰ 06
To a parcel of Axes & Weeding hoes	3 ⁰⁰ 3 ⁰⁰ 00
To a Parcel of Chairs, Flax brake Cart & Wheel	3 ⁰⁰ 5 ⁰⁰ 9
To 3 Head of Horses	24 ⁰⁰ 10 ⁰⁰ 00
To a Parcel of Hogs	4 ⁰⁰ 2 ⁰⁰ 00
To a Parcel of Carpenters Coopers & Shoe Makers Tools	1 ⁰⁰ 16 ⁰⁰ 7 ⁰⁰ 1/2
To 1 Flux Rackle a pair Waxing Cars & Boxes	1 ⁰⁰ 15 ⁰⁰ 00
To a Parcel of Reap hooks	3 ⁰⁰ 00
To a Parcel of Pewter Candle Mold, Knives & Forks	3 ⁰⁰ 2 ⁰⁰ 2

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To a Parcel of Pots, Duck levers, Tying, Pan & Spatulas £ 1. 4. 6
 To a Tea Kettle grid Iron Spinning wheel & Spindle " 12. 6
 To Loom & Cier " " " 10. 6
 To a Parcel of Lumber " " " 12. 6
 To a Parcel of Leather " " " 1. 4. 6
 £ 110 " 1 " 9 2

Exam^d

A Court held for Sussex County the 21st Day of Dec^r 1786
 This Inventory & Appraisement of the estate of Clement
 Barber dec^d was returned into Court & ordered to be recorded

Teste
 Mich^l Bailey C^lrk.

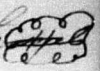
Mary Badler's
Will

In the Name of God Amen I Mary Badler
 of the County of Sussex being sick & weak in Body
 but of sound mind & Memory thanks be to Almighty
 God for the same & knowing it is appointed that I
 one to die, do dispose of what Earthly Estate God hath
 been pleased to bestow me in Manner & form following Viz
 Item I give & bequeath unto my Daughter Agnes Johnson
 one Chest one Trunk & Twenty Pounds Cash, of her own
 disposal for ever
 Item I give & bequeath unto my Daughter Amy
 Richardson Thirty Pounds Cash & her & her Heirs
 for ever
 Item I give & bequeath unto my Daughter Lydia Nichol-
 son Three Thousand five hundred Pounds of Inspect^{rs} Tobacco
 which her dece^d Husband was Indebted to me upon bond
 & likewise ten Pounds Cash to her & her Heirs for ever
 Item I give & bequeath unto my Two grand Sons John
 Thos^r Richardson & Robert Hood Nicholson Thirteen
 Pounds Cash, likewise one Bed & Furniture which I
 desire may be sold & the Money arising from such
 Sale to be equally divided between them; To them &
 their Heirs forever

Lastly

Lastly I do nominate and appoint William Richardson whole and sole
Executor to this my last Will and Testament. In Witness whereof I have
hereunto set my Hand and Affixed my Seal this Sixth Day
of May One Thousand seven hundred & Eighty six

Signed Seal & Delivered
in presence of
Henry Cooper +
Elizabeth ^{his} Barham
William Bailey ^{mark} +

Mary ^{her} Battle 
mark

At a Court holden for Sussex County the 21st day of December 1786
The within last Will and Testament of Mary Battle deceased was
presented into Court by William Richardson the Executor

therein named was proved by the Oaths of Henry Cooper &
William Bailey two of the Witnesses & by the Court Ordered
to be Recorded and on Motion of said Executor who made Oath
as the Law directs and gave Bond with Henry Cooper his
Security in the Penalty of five Hundred Pounds conditioning
as the Law directs Certificate is granted him for Obtaining
a Probate thereof in due form

Teste
Mich^l Bailey C. Cuz

In the Name of God Almighty I Daniel Lamb of the County
of Sussex being sick & weak in Body but of Perfect mind & memory
Thanks be given to God Calling unto mind the Mortality of my Body
& knowing it is appointed for all Men once to die, do make & Ordain this
my last Will & Testament, that is to say Principally & first of all
I give & Recommend my Soul into the hands of Almighty God who
gave it, & my Body I Recommend to the Earth to be buried in a Se-
cure Christian burial at the Discretion of my Executors. Nothing
doubting but I shall Receive the same again at the General Resur-
rection by the mighty Power of God, And as touching such worldly
Estate whereunto I have Pleas'd God to bless me with in this Life
I give & demise & dispose of the same in the following manner & form

Debut
Lamb
Will

Item first I desire that all my Land & Stock & household furniture
 & all my Estate (except my Negroes) to be sold & all my Just Debts
 Paid

Item I desire that One Negroe Woman Marjory may be so
 Item I desire I give & bequeath to Robert Lamb my beloved Brother
 one Negroe Boy Benjamin & all my Cloths by him freely to be enjoyed

Item It is my desire that my Brother John Lamb should
 take the Negroe Woman Eve & the Negroe boy Ellick at the
 Appraisement of three good Men, if he chooseth to take
 them at the Appraisement if not the said Negroes Eve
 & Ellick must be sold

Item after all my Just Debts is paid the Remainder of
 my Estate, I leave to be Equally divided between my
 Brothers William Lamb, John Lamb & Thomas Lamb
 & my Sister Mary Perriman & likewise constitute
 make & Ordain, John Lamb & Richard Andrews
 the sole Executors of this my last Will & Testament & I do
 hereby utterly, disallow, Revoke & Disannul all & every
 other former Testaments, Wills, Legacies, Bequests and
 Executors by me in anywise before mentioned named Will
 & bequeathed, Ratifying & Confirming this & no other to be
 my last Will & Testament In Witness whereof I have here-
 unto set my Hand & Seal this Thirtieth Day of October in
 the Year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred & Eighty
 Six

Signed, Sealed, Published, Pronounced

Declared by the said Daniel Lamb, as Daniel Lamb 
 his last Will & Testament in the Presence
 of us who in his Presence & in the Presence
 of each other, have hereunto set our Names

Ben. Kitchen

Edmund Stacy

Daniel Barker & marks

At a Court held for Sussex County the 21st day of December 1786
This last Will & Testament of Daniel Lamb was Exhibited in Court by
John Lamb & Richard Andrews the Executors therein named
was proved by the Oaths of Benjamin Kitchen & Burwell Barker
two of the Witnesses thereto & by the Court Ordered to be Recorded
on Motion of said Exors who made Oath as the Law directs and
with Robert Jones & Henry Chappell their Securities they entered
into & Acknowledged their Bonds in the Penalty of Two Thousand
Pounds Conditioned as the Law directs, Certificate is granted them
for Obtaining a Probate thereof in due form, The Word "all" being
an Interpolation was proved by the above Witnesses to be done
Exam in the presence of the Testator & Acknowledged by him

*See preceding Book page
28 for qualification of John Lamb
Exam with this will annexed
at May Ct 1802*

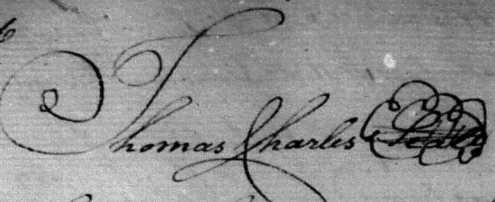
Teste

Michael Bailey & Cur

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Charles
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In the Name of God Amen I Thomas Charles of
the County of Hanover in the Colony of Virginia do make known
this my last Will and Testament in Manner and form followingly
I give and bequeath to my Mother Mourning Stewart ten Negroes
Wiz: Daniel Peter James, George Anthony, Adam, Tell, Jimmy,
Nelson & Rose with all their Future Increase to the said Mourning
Stewart to her and her Heirs forever.
Item I give & bequeath to my said Mother Mourning Stewart one Silver
Lambler, one silver salt Silver half Doz. Silver Spoon one Silver
Tall one Desk and Bookcase eight Black Walnut Chairs with all
my Beds & Furniture with all my Estate of House hold of what kind
I have to her her Heirs forever.
Item I give & bequeath to my loving Mother Mourning Stewart
aforesaid all my Land in Blackwell Neck in Hanover County
viz the fourth aforesaid on Lost Creek to her her Heirs forever.
In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & affixed my seal
this January 7th 1787

Signed and Sealed
in presence of

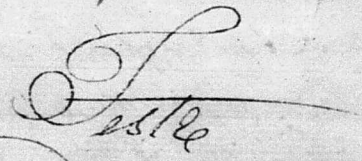
Thomas Charles 

- + Richard Stewart
- + William Stewart
- + Sarah Stewart
- + John Stewart
- + Elmiech Sandiford
- + Olive Sandiford

the date of this Will altered the seventh of
 January 1784 before the witnesses agreeable
 to what Charles desire
 Richard Stewart

At a Court held for Sussex County the 18th day of January 1787-
 The last Will and Testament of Thomas Charles deceased was exhibited
 into Court by Richard Stewart. was proved by the Oaths of
 William & John Stewart and the attestation of the date of Said Will
 was proved by the oaths of Elmiech Sandiford & Olive Sandiford
 and by the Court ordered to be Recorded, and on the motion
 of Said Richard Letters of administration is granted him, -
 who with Seamon & John Powell his Sureties entered into
 and acknowledged their Bonds in the penalty of one thou-
 sand pounds. conditioned as the Law directs.

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Joseph
Nichols

I Joseph Nichols of Sussex County being sick but of sound disposing mind
do make & ordain this my last Will & Testament in manner
following that is to say

First I give unto my son Joseph Nichols this Heirs forever one Hundred acres of Land
whereon he now lives Beginning on the north side of the Mirey Branch
Between our Clearing & then a new dividing line to be run to the back
line joining the Briggs along the old line so as to include the man-
dred Acres, also one Cow & Calf

And I give unto my son William Nichols this Heirs forever one Hundred & twenty
Acres of Woodland lying on the south side of the Mirey Branch ad-
joining the land of our Son-in-law James Freeman lately lived & Robert Ellison's land
to be divided from the Manor Plantation by a new line, I also give
my said son the sum of Fifteen Pounds Cash

And I give unto my son John Nichols this Heirs forever the Manor
Plantation whereon I now live containing one Hundred & thirty five
Acres be the same more or less

And I lend the use of all my other Estate of every kind & Quality to my Wife
during her life in Widowhood & at the expiration of either of the above
Periods whichever may first happen, I give the said Estate to be equally
divided Between the following my Children, John, William, Mary, & Mary

It is further my Will & desire that my Estate be not Appraised

Lastly I constitute and Appoint my beloved Wife & my three Sons
Joseph John William my whole & sole Executors & Executors of

this my last Will and Testament In Witness whereof I have
hereunto set my Hand & affixed my Seal this Twentieth day of August
in the Year of our Lord one thousand seven Hundred & Eighty five

Sign'd Seal'd and

Pronounced in

presence of

Michl Bailey

Nicholas Preson

Daniel Turner

Joseph Nichols
marks

At a Court held for Sussex County the 18 day of January 1787
 The within said Will & Testament of Joseph Nichol was exhibited into Court
 by John Dickson of the County therein named was proved by
 the Oaths of Nicholas Preppor & Daniel Turner two of the Sta-
 ne Justices, & by the Court ordered to be Recorded. For Master of said
 Executor who with Joseph Nichol & Nicholas Preppor his Secunder entered
 into & Acknowledged their Bond in the Penalties of £500. Condition is
 as the Law directs Certificate is granted him for Obtaining a Probate
 thereof in due form

Ex^o

Test

Mich^l Bailey C. CorDewey
Eggleston

In the Name of God Amen this Thirtieth day
 of November one thousand seven Hundred & Eighty Six
 I Dewey Eggle of the County of Sussex being in Good Sound Sense
 Memory and Calling to mind the Mortality of my Body &
 knowing that it is appointed for all Men once to die do make known
 this my last Will and Testament that is to say First I give & Recommend
 my Soul into the hands of Almighty God that gave it & my Body I
 Recommend to the Earth to be Buried in Decent Christian Burial
 at the Discretion of my Exors not doubting but at the Resurrection
 I shall receive the same again by the Order of Almighty God that
 gave it & as Touching my worldly Estate that God of his Goodness
 hath blessed me with in this Life I dispose of the same in the form following
 Item I give & bequeath to my Nephew John Eggle son of Susannah Eggle
 all my Land & Plantation whereon I now live to him & the heirs of his Body
 lawfully Begotten, but provided he the said John Eggle should die without
 such Heir in that Case I give & bequeath the said Land & Plantation
 above Mentioned to my two Sisters namely Anna Eggle & Susannah Eggle
 to them & their Heirs forever
 Item my Will desire is that all my Negroes may be sold & the Money
 arising from such sale to be equally Divided between my Sister
 Susannah Eggle & her son John Eggle all which I give to them
 & their Heirs forever

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Eggle

Item My Will & Desire is that the Remaining part of my estate of what kind or Quality soever be sold & the Money arise from such after my just debts & Funeral Expenses being paid to be equally Divided between my two Sisters namely Anna Ezell & Susanna Ezell all which I give them & their Heirs forever

Item My desire is that my Estate be not appraised

Item I do hereby ordain Constitute & appoint my Friends Robert Jones and Robert Andrews Executors of this my last Will & Testament Disavowing & Rescinding all other Will or Wills hitherto by me made Ratifying & Confirming this & no other to be my last Will & Testament As Witness my hand &

Seal the Day & Year first above Written

Signed Sealed & Delivered

In presence of us

Barham Moore +

Christopher Good +

Mildred ^{her} Will

mark

Ann Ezell

At a Court held for Sussex County the 18th day of January 1787

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The last Will and Testament of Andrew Ezell deceased was presented in Court by Robert Jones one of the Executors therein named, was proved by the oaths of Barham Moore and Christopher Good two of the Witnesses thereto & in the Court Ordered to be Recorded. & on Motion of said Exor. who with John & Charles Jenkins his securities entered into Bond in the penalty of One thousand pounds, conditioned as the Law directs Certificate is granted him for obtaining a probate thereof in due form.

Exor

Teste
Mich^l Bailey C. C. C.

An Inventory & Appraisement of the ^{late} estate of W^m Chandler
Knight Deceased Nov^r the 8th 1786

Item	Quantity	Unit	Price
To 1 Grey mare	1		12
To 1 Sorrel horse	1		10
To 7 barrels Corn	7		3 6
To 1 mans Saddle	1		2 5
To 1 Womens Do & Bridle	1		2 15
To 1 Rack	1		9
To 1 pair Cart Wheels	1		4
To 1 Feather bed & Furniture	1		8
To 1 Do & Do	1		1
To 1 Do	1		1
To 2 Chests	2		10
To 1 pine Table	1		2 6
To 1 Flax hackle	1		7 6
To 1 Box iron Shears	1		6
To a parcel Crochet	1		18
To 3 Earthen & Stoneware	3		11
To 2 Stone Suggs	2		3 9
To knives & Forks	1		2 6
To 1 Gun	1		15
To 1 Earthen pot	1		7
To 1 Meal Sifter & Wash	1		2
To 1 Candlestick & Snuffers	1		2 6
To 4 Chans & 1 Cradle	4		5
To 3 Doas 1 Do Iron Wadges	3		18
To Carpenter's tools	1		10
To Coopers Do	1		6
To 2 iron pots hanging par & 1 Cask	2		17 6
To 1 Belt mill & 1 Mill	1		12
To 6 Smalls	6		2
To 4 Horseshoes 3 broad 1 Do Grinding Do	4		15
To 1 Sower & old Iron	1		6
To 2 Tubbs 1 1/2 Bushell	2		12
To Flays & Harnesses	1		12
To 1 tray, tubb & Council Bag	1		5
To 1 pair Jute & Tong	1		1 8
To 6 Bags	6		3 18
To 1 Hoag & 1 Do	1		1
To 1 Basket & 1 Shuttle	1		1 3
To 10 lbs & 1 Cattle	10		17
To 1 Spinning wheel & Cards	1		6
To 2 Baskets	2		3
To 2 Parcel of Fodder	2		2 6
To 1 Stone & 1 Do	1		6

In Obedience to an order of the Worshippful Court of Superior County
Bearing date the 19th of October last we the Subscribers being first sworn for
that Purpose have valued & appraised the Estate of Charles Knight deceased
to Eighty Two pounds, Nine shillings & four pence half penny current
money

Hinckley Rochall }
Lacy Rochall } Exrs.
H. Andrews }
Basham Moore } Appraisers
Charles Moore }

We Court held for Superior County the 18 day of January 1787
This Inventory & Appraisement of the estate of Charles Knight deceased
was returned into Court & ordered to be Recorded

Attest
Mick Bailey C. Clerk

Exam

William
Partin's
Will

In the name of God amen I William Partin of the parish of
Allmarale in the County of Super. being of sound and disposing mind and
memory thanks be to almighty God and calling to mind the frailty
of Death and uncertainty of this Transitory Life. Do make con-
stitute and Ordain this my Last Will and Testament in manner
following

I Give unto my loving Wife during her natural Life
all my Land and plantation whereon I now live except
Twenty Acres part thereof which I shall devise hereafter to
my son Drury - I also lend my said Wife during her life
the following articles To wit: my Negro man Jany one
feather Bed and furniture (his choice) my Horse Collie and her
side Saddle and Bridle two Cows and calves two Sows and
Piggs all my Plantation Utensils and Kitchen Furniture
all my Potter and all my crop of Corn wheat and pease
and Cotton and at her my said Wifes Death the Horse
Collie I Give unto my Daughter Milder and it is my will
and desire that at my Wifes Death the personal Estate
lent her except as to the Horse be equally Divided between
my loving son Drury Partin and my loving Daughter

Mildred Partin except such as he hereafter devised Specifically.
 Also I give unto my loving Daughter Mildred Partin on
 Condition that she shall have Samuel Isaac the Land
 I have lent unto my loving Wife but in Case she shall
 not have such Isaac then only to hold the use of the said
 Land during her life and at her Death I give the said
 Land and Plantation to my Grandson William Partin
 son of Drury Partin to him and his Heirs and assigns
 I give unto my said Daughter Mildred one Bed and
 furniture called hers also one fine Chest which is also
 called hers It is my Intention that if my Grandson Wyatt
 Partin, son of Mildred Partin shall survive his —
 Mother that he shall be intitled to and receive the
 Land devised the use of to his Mother but in Case of his
 Death prior to his said Mother that in that Case and
 that only the Land shall go pass and descend unto my
 Grandson William Partin as above mentioned I also give
 unto my said Daughter Mildred after her Mother's Death
 my Negro Man Samy also a side Saddle and Bridle two
 Bows and Balles two Rows and Piggs; I also give unto
 my said Daughter my Loom and all the appurtenances
 thereto belonging also my spinning Wheel & Cards —
 Also I give unto my loving son Drury Partin Twenty
 Acres of Land lying on the South of a new line from
 his corner Run in the Branch and along the said new
 line to William Wynne's line to and back to him his
 Heirs & assigns
 Also I give and Bequeath unto my Grandson William
 Partin son of Drury the Bed and Bolster which I have
 lent unto my Wife, to be delivered him at her Death
 Also I give unto my Grandson Wyatt Partin a Bed
 and furniture called the new Bed also my maid Flower —
 Also My Will and desire is that my still be continued
 where she now stands and that my son Drury have
 the liberty to still his own Liquor with her but that
 all other Benefit arising from the said still be the

Property of my Daughter Mildred
 Also it is my Will and desire that as it is a doubt whether my two loving Sons Charles and Jesse Partin be dead or alive I do therefore Will and devise unto each of them the sum of Five pounds Current Money on Condition that they each or either Personally apply to make his claim otherwise the Devise to be Void

Also my Will and desire is that after paying my Just Debts Funeral Expences and the Legacies above mentioned that all the rest and residue of my Estate not particularly lent or devised be sold or be divided in either Case equally between my loving Son Denny Partin and my Loving Daughter Mildred Partin

And Lastly I do nominate constitute and appoint my loving Daughter Mildred Partin and my loving Son Denny Partin Executors of this my last Will and Testament Revoking all other Wills and Bequeaths by me heretofore made and declaring this to be my last Will and Testament In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my Hand and affixed my Seal this 17th day of November 1784

Signed sealed Published and Declared to be the last Will and Testament of the Testator and at his request and in his presence we subscribe as Witnesses thereto

William Wynne
 David Glasgow

At a Court held for Sussex County the 17th day of April 1787
 The last Will and Testament of William Partin deceased was exhibited into Court by Denny Partin one of the Executors therein named proved by the Oaths of William Wynne and David Glasgow the Witnesses thereto and by the Court Ordered to be recorded and an citation of said Executors who made oath according to Law and with Thomas Whitfield and John Sturdevant his Securities entered into and acknowledged their Bonds in the penalty of Five Hundred pounds Conditioned as the Law directs Certificate is granted him for obtaining a probat thereof in due form

Teste Mich^l Bailey Clk. Cur.

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Stephen
Andrews
Will

In the name of God amen I Stephen Andrews of the
County of Sussex being sick and weak but of sound mind memory
and understanding thanks be to God do make and Ordain this
my last Will and Testament in manner following
Item I Give unto my well beloved Wife my right and Title to
the College Tenement whereon I now live also the use of all my
other Lands adjoining thereto during her life also my
plantation utensils and all my Estate Except the Legacies
hereafter mentioned for her to raise and school my Children
or but in case she should Marry then my whole Estate to
be divided, she to have $\frac{1}{3}$ and my Children to have an
equal proportion of the residue thereof but after her Death
her $\frac{1}{3}$ to be returned into the Estate and equally divided
amongst my living Children — Also after my Wifes Death
I will and Desire that my College Lands descend to my
son Stephen Andrews

Item I Give and bequeath to my son Stephen one Horse to the value
of Fifteen pounds and one Cow and calf for him to possess when of Age
Item I Give and bequeath to my Daughter Sarah Andrews
one Feather Bed and Furniture and one Cow and calf when of
Age or Married

Item I Give and bequeath unto my Daughter Nancy Andrews
one Feather Bed and Furniture and one Cow and calf when
of Age or Married

Item I Give unto my Son John Andrews one Horse to the value
of Fifteen pounds and one Cow and calf for him to possess
when of Age

Item I Give unto my Daughter Elizabeth Andrews one
Feather Bed and Furniture and one Cow and calf when of
Age or Married

Item I Give unto my son Jesse Andrews one Horse to the value
of Fifteen pounds and one Cow & calf for him to possess when
of Age

Item I Will and desire that all my free Lands be sold at
the Death of my Wife and the Money arising therefrom
be equally divided between my son John & my son Jesse

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his

I am Will and desire that if my Wife be delivered of a male Child that he share an equal proportion with the rest of my Sons But if a Female that she share in proportion to the rest of Daughters

Will and desire in the 1st place that there be enough of my Estate sold to discharge all my Just Dotts

Thereby nominate and appoint my Wife Mary Andrews - Richard & Andrews Harris & Nicholas Bailey Branch and Arthur Dole my Lawful Executors In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my Hand and Seal this second day of March Domini 1787

Signed Sealed published
and delivered before

John Nicholson
Randolph Richardson
Richard Fisher

Stephen Andrews (his Seal)

At a Court held for Superior County the 17th Day of April 1787
The last will and Testament of Stephen Andrews dec^d was presented into Court by Rich^d & Andrews one of the Executors therein named & before the Oath of John Nicholson Randolph Richardson and Rich^d & Cooper the Witnesses thereto And ordered to be recorded And on the Motion of the said Executor who make Oath according to Law and with Nicholas Wilson and Richard Cooper his servants entered into and Acknowledged their Oath in the penalty of Two Thousand Pounds Conditionally as the Law directs Certificate is granted him for obtaining a Probate thereof in due form

Teste
Michael Bailey Clerk

John
Woodward
his Will

In the Name of God Amen I John Woodward of the County of Superior being in my perfect sense and memory thank be to almighty God for the same and knowing that it is appointed for all men to die do make and ordain this to be my last will and Testament in manner and form following that is to say I will that all my Just debts and funeral expences be first paid and discharge at the discretion of my Executors whom I shall hereafter appoint Then I give and bequeath unto my Son Goodwin Woodward one Gun and one year old Colt. to him & to his heirs forever

Item. I give and bequeath unto my Son Thomas Wade Woodward
One gun to him and his heirs for ever.

Item. I give and bequeath unto my Daughter Ann Woodward
One feather bed and furniture, to her & her heirs for ever.

Item. I lend unto my dear and well beloved wife Susannah
Woodward all the rest and residue of my estate, both real & personal
be it of what nature or kind soever, not heretofore given away
during her life or widowhood, she educating and maintaining
my children untill they arrive to the age of twenty one ye are or
married, and after our death or marriage then I give the Land
and plantation whereon I now live to my son John Woodward to
him and to his heirs for ever, and the remaining part of my
estate, before lent to my wife, and not heretofore given away, my
desire is at her death or marriage, be equally divided between
the following Children that is to say: Goodwin Woodward—
Ann Woodward, Mary Woodward, Thomas Wade Woodward
& Martha Woodward, James Woodward, John Woodward, & Henry
Woodward, to be equally divided between my said Children or the
surviving Children living at the time of the S^d division, all which
estate I give to my said Children to them and to their heirs forever.
My will and desire is that there be no appraisment of my Estate,

And lastly. I do nominate and appoint my wife Susannah Woodward
Executrix of my Friends, Harris Carter & Edward Wyatt Executors
of this my last will and Testament, revoking all other wills by
me heretofore made. In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my
hand and affixed my seal this Seventeenth day of December
one thousand seven hundred and Eighty Six

Signed sealed, Published and Declared
this to be my last will and testament
in the presence of

Jacob Mitchell

Eliazah Cain

Jones Burrow

Lilleberry Carter.

John ^{his} Woodward
Mark.

At a Court held for Lufkin County the 19th day of April. 1787.
The last Will and Testament of John Woodward deceased was

(446) Exhibited in Court by Susannah Woodward the Executrix therein named was proved by the oaths of Jacob Mitchell, Micajah Cain and Littleberry Carter three of the witnesses thereto and by the Court Ordered to be recorded. And on motion of said Executrix who make oath and with Charles William and Asham Couch her securities entered into and acknowledged their bond in the penalty of five hundred pounds conditioned as the Law directs. certificate is granted her for obtaining a probat thing in due form.

Exam.

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Mic^hl Bailey & Co.

1782	The Estate of Joseph Tucker in Out with	
To 28 1/2 barrels of Corn at 12/- 10 ditto ditto 15/-		£24. 12.
To 5 ditto 15/1 ~ 5 ditto ditto 15/3		7 11. 8
To 10 ditto 15/1 1 Horse £12. 15		26 5. 10
To 1 Horse Saddle & Bridle		17. 15. ~
To pork Sals		6 11. ~
To parcel of Sows & Shoats		2 16. ~
To fodder		3. 11. 6
To 24 to Logwood 7/2		" 15. ~
To parcel of Lumber		2 7. ~
To 131 Bacon at 1/-		6. 11. ~
To 36 bushels of Oats at 1/3		2 5. ~
To 1 Stock Buckles		" 7. 6
To £21/5. u. u. of paper currency sold at 1500 per 1.		1. 9. ~
To Cash Rec of John Randolph		1. 10. ~
To Cash Rec of John Todd		" 12. ~
		98. 7. 6

Isaac Tucker Executor Contra	£15. 5. "
By Cash paid Peter Cain	4. 10. "
By Cash paid Wm Cain	7. 1. 1 1/2
By Cash paid Capt. Green & Hill	8. 2. ~
By Cash paid John Huxon	22. 11. 3.
By Robert Tuckers bond & Interest	
C ^d continued	

Credit Bro^r over£ 57. 4. 4¹/₂

By Cash paid Kimmie Lloyd	12. " "
By Cash paid James Greenway	6. 10. "
By Cash paid St Isham Smith	5. 5. "
By Cash paid Tho ^s . Hill	5. 3. 7
By Cash paid Wood Tucker	2. 8. "
By Cash paid John Travis for working Wood and Garry left on the Shop.	6. " "
By Cash paid the Sheriff of Sussex for Taxes & Clerk's fees	5. " 7
By Cash paid William Shands	3. " "
By Cash p ^d Wm Malone of Isham Whithead of	" 18. "
By Cash paid Andrew King 13/	" 13. "
By Cash paid Edward Harrison	" 9. "
By p ^d Francis Jackson	" 9. "
By p ^d Thomas Chappell	" 8. 6
By Cash paid Amey Malone	" 18. "
By Cash paid Thomas Hinson	" 9. "
By Cash p ^d for 3 horse Collars	" 3. 9
By disbursements as per receipt for looking the duca ^s registers and setting the albs.	12. 10. "
	<u>£ 120. 4. 3¹/₂</u>

In obedience to the Worshipful Court of Sussex County We the subscribers have examined the above acct. and find them Justly Added and Vouchers for the same except Amey Malones account. Given under our hands this 19th day of April 1787

Benja Laniere

Tho^s Butlere

Returned into Sussex County Court the 19th day of April 1787
Audited and with the Auditors report Ordered to be Recorded.

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Augustine
Claiborne
Justice

In the Name of the ever adorable blessed and glorious Trinity
Father Son & Holy Ghost. Amen. I Augustine Claiborne of Windsor
in the County of Sussex being weak in body but of sound mind and
memory, do this first day of May in the year of our Lord Christ
One thousand seven hundred and Eighty seven make and ordain
this to be my last Will and Testament in manner and form
following that is to say.

Imprimis. I Give and bequeath to my Sons Augustine and Butler
Claiborne the several tracts or parcels of Land already possessed by them
and containing each One thousand acres marked and bounded & laid
off by W^m William Watkins of Dinwiddie County and for which
I have made each of them a Deed to hold to them in Severalty
and to their heirs and assigns respectively for ever.

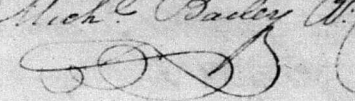
I Give and bequeath unto my Grandson William Presley Claiborne
the piece of Land I purchased of Augustine Shands and hold under a
Deed of exchange between the said Shands and me duly recorded in
Sussex County Court provided he the said William Presley Claiborne
upon his arriving to age shall convey to the Owner of my seat where I
now reside called Windsor a small Island adjoining a piece of

Meadow ground just below the mouth of a branch that runs through
my plantation for himself to hold to him and his heirs forever.

Item. I earnestly request my dear and loving Wife that as soon as possible
she can after my death if I do not so direct by my last will that she by Deed
sell and convey up and to the Children of my beloved son William
three Negroes of such ages and size as she shall judge best in the
profitable advantage of our said son and Children the said three or two
wives of them so that the said three Negroes and their future increase
be equally divided among our said son and Children as they respectively
claim or come of age to hold them and their heirs forever, I reserve
the rest of my estate both real and personal and wherever lying or
being or of what nature or quality it may be (she paying off and
discharging the few debts I owe) I give devise and bequeath unto my dear
and loving Wife to have and to hold to her and her heirs forever. I do further de-
clare that it is my wish and desire that if my dear and loving Wife should
survive me long enough to take possession of the above estate after the
paying and receiving of this my Will, that she distribute of any part
of my property now bequeathed to her amongst my Children or others
by gift or by Will shall be according to her pleasure & subject to no con-
straint whatever, but if it should please God to her to her dying before
she taking possession of my Estate by virtue of this my Will, that

then my acting Executors or Executrix are hereby empowered to take
 into Consideration whatever has been already given by me to either
 of my Sons Herbert, & Augustine Butler, William & John or their
 Heirs and that they will compare the amount thereof with what
 remains undivided after all legacies and debts are paid and if
 they find that upon an equal division being made of what remains
 of my Estate among my younger Sons Thomas Richard & Nathaniel
 that more is left for each of them than seems to have been given
 to either of the said Herbert & Augustine, Butler, William & John
 or their Heirs that they are hereby empowered to make up the defi-
 ciency after having the whole Estate valued by such impartial
 Persons as may be appointed by the Court where the several
 Parts of my Estate lie, to wit: whatever deficiency may appear
 to be due to my Son Arthur must be equally divided amongst
 all his Children, whatever deficiency may appear to be due to
 my Son William deceased to be equally divided amongst his
 Daughters, and whatever due to Augustine Butler, and John must
 be paid to themselves. I do further declare as it has always been my
 intention that each of my Daughters should have one third
 said Part of my Estate including what has been heretofore
 or may hereafter be given to them by my self or my Wife, and I do
 hereby empower my Executors in case of the above named deceased
 my dear Wife after deducting and having valued by an Asses & Court
 whatever appears to have been ^{given} to either of them by me or my dear
 Wife to pay up the deficiencies as follows to wit: what ever appears
 to be due to my Daughter Harriet deceased must be equally divided
 amongst her Daughters whatever appears to be due to my Daughter
 Susanna must be equally divided amongst her Daughters whatever ap-
 pears to be due to my Daughter Elizabeth must be paid into the hands of
 her Brother Augustine for his sole use, whatever appears to be due
 to my Daughter Ann deceased must be equally divided amongst her
 Daughters whatever appears to be due to my Daughter Lucy must be
 paid into her own hands Lastly I do desire my Estate may not be
 appraised nor my Executors or Executrix be called upon to give bond
 or Security for the Probation of this my last Will and Testament
 and I do hereby nominate and appoint my dear Wife Mary and
 my friends Isaac Hall, Augustus Claiborne and John H.
 Claiborne Executors and Executrix here of the Test many whereof
 I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this first
 day of May and year first above written

At a Court held for Sussex County the 21st day of June 1784
 The last Will and Testament of Ann Hite late ^{deceased} was exhibited into Court
 by Gulley Hite the Executor therein named proved by the oaths of Gulley
 Robinson and Francis Ray the Witnesses thereto and by the Court ordered
 to be recorded and on motion of said Executor who made oath thereto
 according to Law and with Rich^d. Bailey and Rich^d. Cook her
 co-executors entered into & acknowledged their Bonds in the penalty of
 Five Hundred Pounds conditioned as the Law directs. Certificate is
 granted her for obtaining a Patent therefor in due Form.

Teste Mich^e. Bailey W. Secy.


An Account Current of the Estate of Lettway Johnson Dec^d. Dr.

1781.	To Cash p ^d for making 3 Coffins	L. 18.. -
	To 28 of Bacon for the Estate at 1 st of Oct	1.. 8.. u
	To making Joel Johnson 3 Shirts	u. 3.. 9.
	To Do James Do Do	u. 3.. u.
	To 14 1/2 of Twisted Cloth 4 1/2 of Ram	u. 10.. u
	To Yarn for 2 1/2 Stockings	u. 2.. 3
	To Weaving 50 Yards of Cloth at 2 1/2 per Yard	u. 16.. 8
	To making 7 Shirts & 5 1/2 for Pouches	1.. 0.. 6
	To Dito 2 Coats	u. 3.. u
	To Do Coal & Pocket for Phoebe	u. 3.. u
	To 1 1/2 1/2 of Cloth & making coat for Phoebe	u. 3.. 6
	To making for Joel Johnson	u. 2.. u
	To boarding Do & James Johnson 5 1/2 months in 81.	9.. u.. u
	To making brock & shirt for Phoebe	u. 3.. 3
	To Do 2 Shirts for James	u. 3.. u
	To 3 1/2 shoes for Joel James and Phoebe	u. 18.. u
	To making 1 Shirt for Joel & 2 1/2 of Cloth	u. 3.. u
	To 1 1/2 of Virginia Cloth at 2 1/2 per Yard	u. 10.. u
	To Yarn & stocking 1 1/2 Stockings	u. 1.. 3.. -
	To 1 1/2 shoes for Children	1.. 4.. u
	To 1 1/2 of fine shoes for Joel	u. 8.. u
	To making 3 Shirts	u. 4.. 6
	To Cash p ^d for keeping 2 Children in 81.	12.. - - -
	To Do Do for 3 1/2 of slave buttons for Children	u. 3
	To 2 1/2 of the master for 2 Shirts of Lab turned up & Vampers	u. 15.. 6
	To Do Do James Johnson for carrying of Ditt	1.. 10.. -
	To Do Do to his Disproportionate part of 950 L ^{ts}	1.. 18.. -
	To Do Do in paper & money L ^{ts} 3 1/2 1/2 1/2 sundry Deets	3.. 3.. u

To Cash paid Wm Ellis brood Account.			
To do do for 7 yards Plane Cloth & 4 yds Double Cloth for children	£	1. 4. 5	
To do do for 2 yds for 2 yds stockings		1. 15. 3	
To do do for 2 yds for 2 yds stockings		4. 11. 0	
To do do for 2 yds for 2 yds stockings		1. 0. 4	
To do do for 2 yds for 2 yds stockings		1. 10. 0	
To do do for 2 yds for 2 yds stockings		1. 10. 0	
To do do for 2 yds for 2 yds stockings		5. 16. 3 1/4	
To do do for 2 yds for 2 yds stockings		11. 18. 0	
To do do for 2 yds for 2 yds stockings		6. 13. 0	
To do do for 2 yds for 2 yds stockings		4. 10. 7 1/2	
To do do for 2 yds for 2 yds stockings		14. 3. 0	
To do do for 2 yds for 2 yds stockings		3. 4. 4	
To do do for 2 yds for 2 yds stockings		11. 15. 2	
To do do for 2 yds for 2 yds stockings		9. 12. 10	
To do do for 2 yds for 2 yds stockings		1. 7. 0	
To do do for 2 yds for 2 yds stockings		1. 6. 9	
To do do for 2 yds for 2 yds stockings		1. 7. 6	
To do do for 2 yds for 2 yds stockings		1. 14. 0	
To do do for 2 yds for 2 yds stockings		1. 6. 6	
To do do for 2 yds for 2 yds stockings		1. 4. 11	
To do do for 2 yds for 2 yds stockings		2. 15. 6	
To do do for 2 yds for 2 yds stockings		28. 18. 6	
To do do for 2 yds for 2 yds stockings		1. 15. 0	
To do do for 2 yds for 2 yds stockings		9. 18. 6	
To do do for 2 yds for 2 yds stockings		6. 2. 5	
To do do for 2 yds for 2 yds stockings		1. 3. 0	
To do do for 2 yds for 2 yds stockings		30. 3. 9	
To do do for 2 yds for 2 yds stockings		1. 18. 9 1/2	
To do do for 2 yds for 2 yds stockings		3. 0. 6	
To do do for 2 yds for 2 yds stockings		2. 6. 5	
To do do for 2 yds for 2 yds stockings		1. 11. 2	
To do do for 2 yds for 2 yds stockings		1. 7. 6	
To do do for 2 yds for 2 yds stockings		1. 11. 0	
To do do for 2 yds for 2 yds stockings		1. 9. 0	
To do do for 2 yds for 2 yds stockings		1. 16. 3 1/4	
To do do for 2 yds for 2 yds stockings		6. 17. 3	
To do do for 2 yds for 2 yds stockings		40. 0. 0	
To do do for 2 yds for 2 yds stockings		305. 14	

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1781.	Augt	By the Amount of the Sales in Paper Money to be paid the 1st 1-1-	
	Dec 8	By 1000 Tobacco sold at 20 1/2 Cts	19- -
		By 23 Gallons brandy at 6 1/2 Gallon	6- 18-
1784		By the Amot of the sales of the Estate to be p ^d Oct 1782	131. 2. 1
Jan 14		By the sales on the Negroes 12 Months Cr.	520. 16-
		By the Hire of the Negroes in 1782.	51. 4. 8
		By do do 1783.	47. 8-
		By Cash Received of sundries for the estate.	41. 02
1787			836. 11 "
Jan 21		Balance Due the Estate	305. 14
			<u>£ 530. 17</u>

In Obedient to the Worshipful Court of the see we have Audited the within Acc^t find it just.

James Jones
Lewis Thorp

At a Court Held for Superior County the 21 day of June 1787
This Acc^t of the estate of Pittway Johnson deceased
was returned into Court by Laurence Smith Executor Audited and
with the Auditors report Ordered to be Recorded &

Teste
Michael Bailey Esq

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454 Second Account Current of the estate of Mr John Gibbons deceased per original

1773	To various charges as by former account followed by	54	18	6 1/2
	To Cash paid Clerk for Record & former Accounts		9	9
	To Ditto p ^d The Gibbons Legatee as p ^d Receipt	14	7	1
	To Ditto p ^d Robt Ludkins his Wife's Legacy	14	7	1
	To Ditto p ^d Joseph Holliman Guardian of Rebecca Gibbons her Legacy	14	7	1
	To Ditto paid Edward Croft Wife's Legacy	14	7	1
	To Ditto paid Mary Gibbons her Legacy	14	7	1
	To my Wife Joseph's Legacy	14	7	1
	Paid after return of the Account 32 Tobacco	141	10	10 3/4

1773 By whole Am^t of the Estate as formerly rendered followed by
Superior Court. £ 141 10 10 3/4
Edw^d Es^r William Nicholson

1778	Acct. Curr ^t of the Remainder of the estate of Mr John Gibbons at his Wife's Death deceased 1780	L	100	
	To Cash paid Russell Sharp Wife's Legacy	400		
	To Ditto paid Anne Gibbons Legacy	400		
	To Ditto paid Edward Croft Wife's Legacy	400		
	To Ditto paid The Gibbons Legacy	400		
		L	1600	

1780 By Bal^d due the estate in Cash Currency as p^d aforesaid
Account rendered to Court. £ 1600
Edw^d Es^r Wm Nicholson

We the subscribers have examined the above Acc^t & find
it justly stated
David Graves
Livy. Rakell

At a Court held for Sussex County, the 21st day of June 1787.
This Acct Current of the Estate of John Gibbons Dec^d was
Returned into Court by William Nicholson Executor Audited and
with the Auditors Report ordered to be Recorded

Ex^o

Teste Mich^e Bailey C^l. Clerk

An Inventory and Appraisement of the Estate of
Stephen Andrews Deceased

List of Articles Appraised	Appraised Value		
One Feather bed & Furniture	10.		
One D ^o L ^g One D ^o S. One D ^o L ^g 10.	21.	10.	
One D ^o L ^g 10 one D ^o L ^g 10.	20.		
1. Telling walnut Table.	2.		
1 Square Table 5/ 1. Square D ^o 10/.	15.		
1. Painted Chest 2/ 1. Painted D ^o 18/.	1.	18	
1 D ^o not Painted. 6/ 1. Tool Chest 5/.		11.	
13 Rush bottom Chairs 5/ 2. Looking Glasses 3.	3.	2.	
1 Trunk 4/ 1 square box 3/ 1. Case & bottles 6/.		13.	
2 Soap pots 2/ 6. 2. D ^o Pitchers 5/ 1. D ^o Pitcher 1/ 2.	8.	1 1/2	
4 Glass Tumblers 1/ 6. 12 cups 5/ 6. 2/ 6.	4.		
1 Glass Can. 1/ 1. bowl 1/ 3. 2 milk Potts 1/ 2.	3.	3.	
3 Mugs. 2/ 6. 1. Sauce boat & sugar dish & waiter 3.	7.	6.	
1 wall cellar & Whip 1/ 4. 2. D ^o China Dishes 12/.	13.		
12 D ^o China Plates 4/ 10. 1. D ^o Plate 2/ 6.	7.	6.	
6 butter Potts. 12/ 8. 2. D ^o Dishes 4/ 4.	2.	13.	4.
24 Pewter plates. 4 1/2.	2.	4.	
23 Head of Cattle.	37.		
1. Sord Mare 30 L 1. Bay Horse 12. 10.	42.	10.	
1 Bay Mare.	12.	10.	
Timber for 12. 1/ 2. Whales at 6/ 1/ 2.	3.	12.	
D ^o for opening whale.		12.	
3. Pair Cart wheel Navies. 2/ 6.		18.	
1/ 2. Timber Whale. 1. barrel 1/ 8. 1/ 2.	2.	14.	
	169.	0.	82.

1 Gun 36/	1 pair stalyards 6/	L	1.	16
3 1/2 wheel & 36/	for pair		5	8
1/2 small do 2 1/2 p.	1 Croquet Saw 36/	"	3.	0.
1 Croquet saw 18/-	1 Whip saw 45/-		3.	3-
2 Whet & 57.	4 Cocks at 3/.		1.	2
1 Doughwell & Bows.			3	6
3 Chisels 1/.	1 Horn call 2/6.	1 Cow Dille 6/.		9. 6
2 Grindstones 8/	1 Hand saw 12/.	2 Hand saws 12/6	1.	12. 6
2 Abrasives 3/	6 Plain stocks & Irons 12/.			15 -
2 moulting Plains 3/.	Lath screws & turning Tools			18.
3 broad files 12/6-	3 narrow Dills 13/ 6-		1	6.
1 Ass & 1 Trough 3/.	6 Augers 12/6.		"	17. 6
1 Oil stone 8/.	2. boring Images 3/.			11 -
3 1/2 Compasses 2/9.	4 Squares & 1 Hammer 2			11 9
3 mauling Chisels 4/.	1 1/2 Wedges 12/.	"	"	16 -
6 mauling Plains 10/.	1 Filler & Rabbit plain 6/			16 -
8 Augers & 2 bung bours 10/.	6 Guages 3/	5 moulting 10 2/6		15 5.
9 Whiffois 9/.	2 Pannel do 1/9-	4 small do & 1 bag 3		13. 9 1/2
10 Lath spinning wheel Boxes & 1/.	8 Files - 6 Center bit & 1 chisel		1.	12
4 Drawing Knives 6/	Lumber 6/		"	12
4 Weeding Hoes - 2 Digging, D°	2. Crubbing Dillo		1.	5. 3
4 Plane haws 13/.	1 Cart and 1 Wheel 17/.		2.	13
1 pair & Irons 15/.	old Iron 8/.	"	1.	3
1 Box Knives & forks 6/.	1 Loam 3 Shovels & 1 shaver 25-		1	11 -
			32	14 0
1 Negroe Ellen Samuel.				80
1 Negroe Ellen Charles.				45
1 Negroe Woman Jane.				70
1 Negroe Child Charlotte.				20
2 Tea bottles 10/.	3 Pots & 1 Can 4/.			11
4 Tubs 44.	Noggia 13/.	7 wooden bowls. 8/.		1. 1.
1 Saper 26/.	20 Spoons. 10/.			1. 10
10 Pewter Basons 49/.	2 China Dills 4/		2	13
1 Metal sifter 1 Sifter bottom	1 Sauce Pan.			3 6
1 Churn & 2 tubs 8/.	2 tubs & 1 Gums. 5/.			13
1 Horse a Shoe & 2 Razors				7. 6

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1 Pair Money scales	1 Bottle Turlington's Balsam	7	
1 Chest Lock & 2 pocket Books	1 lb.	1	6
1 Chair & Harnek		15	
13 Head of Sheep	8/	3	4
20 Head of Hogs		7	16
1 Tool chest 6/ 1/2 18 tongs & 1 Shovel	8/	14	
11 Books 11/ 2 Spinning & 1 Wax wheel	26/	1	17
11 1/2 Cards and 1 Packet	20/ 1 kg of white lead	10/	1 10
2 Candlesticks & Snuffers	3/	5	
1 Box Iron & heaters	7/ 6 - 11 Iron Potts	3/ 6	2 11
2 Laying pans	7/ 1 Dish over 1 Shutter	16/	1 3
1 Brass Kettle	6/ 6 legs - 1 Turnie. & 1 Pepper box	7/	18
12 Quart Bottles - four Vials & Pocket bottle			5
1 Quart Pot	1 Pint D. 1 Gall D. & 2 Handmolds		10
1 Hive bees	10/ 1 Pot rack & Shears	5/	13
1 Trussel frame	5/ 1 Side saddle	20/	1 5
1 Manns D.	12/ 1 D. 2 1/2/		1 17
		41	11 6
		15	
1 1/2 side of sole Leather			
2 Horses and 1 Cow Hides		1	5
1 Table 5/ - 2 wine Glasses	1/ 3		6 3
3 Combs 2 1/2 - 1 Table Cloth	12/		14 3
4 5 Gallons of Brandy	4/		
		9	
		12	0 6
		41	11 6
		222	2
		32	14 3
		168	0 8 1/2
		476	8 1/2

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Total amount

In obedience to an Order of the Worshipful Court of the said County we whose Names are under Written have appraised the several Articles above enumerated to the Prices respectively annexed to each of them Given under our Hands this 18 day of June in the Year 1784

Archd Andrews

J. H. Burgess
David Mason Junr Appraisers
Ap. Lamber

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At Court held for Sussex County the 21st day of June 1787.
This Inventory, and appraisement of the Estate of Stephen
Andrews deceased was returned into Court and ordered to be recorded.

Teste Mich^l. Bailey Clk. Cur.

And at another Court held for the said County the 19th day of July 1787.
This Will was farther proved by the oath of Elisha Davis another
Witness thereto.

Exam^d 555 pgs. 369 for Will.

Teste Mich^l. Bailey Clk. Cur.

An Inventory and appraisement of the Estate of Major
John Lawson dec^d taken this 26th day of February 1787.

Marys, Kate £15. Lydia £30. Clarissa £55	£	100	-	-
Peggy £25. Prudence £12.10. Phillis £35		72	10	-
Roger £30. Rose £40. Sylvia & Maria £70		160	-	-
Robert £30. Esther & Child £70. Sarah £15		165	-	-
Abraham £30		50	-	-
3 Broad Axes 7/6. 3 Grinding st. 4/6. 3 Axes & Hatchet 13/6		1	7	7
3 Weages 9/6. 4 Hammer Teeth 12/6. 2 Saws 4/6		1	13	9
4 parcel of Lumber 2/6. 1 1/2 Rods of st.		-	7	6
3 Raw Hides 13/6. 2 Dells & one Dutch Cows 38/6		2	7	-
3 Dill Ducks 12/6. 1 Ox Copper Hettle 13/6		1	7	-
2 Tubs & 3 Pails 7/6. 3 Spinning Wheels 20/6		1	7	-
4 Flax Wheels 30/6. 4 parcel of Cashes & Barrels 12/6		2	2	6
1 1/2 Chain Whisks 24/6. 10 Hoop 50/6. 2 Cattle £19		22	12	-
1 Bay Horse £2. 1 Parcel Gold £5. 1 Bay st. £10		23	-	-
2 Plate Irons 4/6. 1 piece of ston & Pestle 13/6		-	9	-
1 Tea Hettle & 1 Canister 2/6. 2 Canister Sts & Grinders 3/6		-	5	6
2 Canister ston 3/6. 2 Brush & Grinders 6		-	5	6
4 parcel of Potatoes 34/6. 3 ston & 4 Basket 6		1	19	-
2 Horses & 6 Pails 1/6. 1 1/2 Spoon ston 4/6		-	7	6
1 1/2 Long & Small Good Iron & Trival		-	3	6
2 1/2 Irons 24/6. 3 Lows & Eggs 90/6. 15 plates 3/6		6	-	-
1 dish 4/6. 1 Room & Caster 3/6. 1 Bowl & a Cade 2/6		-	15	6
Mag & Glass 4/6. 1 Theron 1/3. 11 Tea spoons & Forks 50/6		2	5	3
5 Carpet & Linens 2/6. 5 Bags 10/6. 3 Butter Pails 7/6		-	19	-
1 Case & 2 Bottles 4/6. 1 1/2 1/3 & 1 Bag 4/6		-	11	3
1 Large Cook 4/6. 5 1/2 & 1 little 5/6. 1 Cask 5/6		2	-	-
1 Chest of Drawers 50/6. 2 other young Tables 10/6		7	10	-
2 Tables 7/6. 2 Trunks & 2 Chests 10/6. Books 10/6		1	15	9
1 Room with Rugs & Parings 20/6. 2 Beds & Furniture £29		9	-	-
2 Beds & Furniture £15. 2 st. & st. £15. 16 Chairs 19/6		30	19	-
1 1/2 Chairs 2/6 & 1 Bone 2/6. 15 Cheese 30/6		1	15	-
5 Turkeys 10/6. 4 Ducks 4/6. 1 Grind stone 7/6		1	1	6
Wearing Apparel		67	8	1
		67	8	1

Mason Clerk

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A Court held for Sussex County the 19th day of July 1787

This Inventory and Appraisement of the Estate of Robert Mayne dec^d was returned into Court and ordered to be Recorded

Teste
M^{ch} Bailey C. Clk

In the Name of God Amen I William Vines of Sussex County being sick and weak but of sound memory thanks be to Almighty God so make this my last Will and Testament in Manner and form following Viz^t First I recommend my Soul to God who gave it and my Body to be Buried in a Christian like manner at the discretion of my Executors and as to my worldly goods I dispose of in following manner

Imp^{ro}vements. I give and devise to my loving Mother Mary Vines the Land and Plantation whereon I now live to her then heirs and assigns forever and also my Horse Bridle and Saddle with all my Stock of every kind and my desire is that my Estate be not appraised

Item I constitute and appoint my said Mother Mary Vines my whole and sole Executor of this my last Will and Testament as W^{it}ness my hand & Seal this fourth day of July 1787

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William Vines

John Tyus
The Butler
Sary Winfield
John Vines
Mary ^{for} Cain
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A Court held for Sussex County the 19th day of July 1787

The last Will and Testament of ^{William Vines dec^d} was returned into Sussex Court was proved by the Oaths of John Tyus Thomas Butler and Mary Cain three of the like super^{re} should and by the Court ordered to be Recorded

Teste
M^{ch} Bailey C. Clk

Inventory and appraisement of the Estate of Daniel Lamb ^{decd}
taken the twenty ninth of December 1736

1 Wheel and Pail	2. 6	5 Salt Jellies 2 Glass Tumblers	10. .
3 Colledal Tubst a Sugar Tub	10. .	1 Crust 1 Pepper Box	8
2 Bread Trays	1. 3	4 Canale Flints	3. .
1 Sifter & 1 Sack	2. 6	2 Wine Glasses & 4 Vials	2. .
3 Butter Pots	6. .	1 Sweet Oil Bottle	9
6 Plates & 3 Dishes	1. 10. .	2 Quack Bottles	8
1 Large Footstall & 3 Small do	3. .	4 Case & Bottles	12. .
1 Basket	1. .	1 Canale Box & 1 Round Basket	1. 3
3 Iron Pots & Hooks	15. .	1 Horning Knife 1 Sword	2. 6
1 Tearing Pan & 1 Spil	2. .	1 Tunnell & 1 Fire Tong	1. 6
1 Spice Mortar & 1 Pestle	10. .	4 Parcel of Leather	9. .
1 Large fat jar a gum & Salt	5. .	4 Parcel of Cotton	1. 3
1 Wheel & 1 Cards	6. .	1 Dozer Chairs	1. 10. .
1 Cow Hide	5. .	2 Pine Tables	3. 6
7 Fifty Gallon Casks	1. 2. .	1 Walnut Table, 1 Safe	1. 10. .
3 Barrels	7. 5	1 Desk & 2 Chests	5. . .
3 Bhd's & 1 Curr Barrel	6. .	1 Gun 1 Tea Chest	2. 7. 5
2 Pains & 1 Cross Stock	4. .	1 Bible & 1 Prayer Book	3. .
6 Mending Hons	10. .	1 Saddle & 1 Bridle	3. 10. .
2 Quilting Hons	8. .	1 Saddle & 2 Bridles	2. . .
2 Helling Hons. & 2 Plow do	8. .	2 Collars & 2 pair Hains	3. .
2 Narrow Axes. 1 Broad do	12. .	1 Leather Bed & Furniture	8. . .
1 Hand Saw. 1 Hammer	1. .	1 Ditto	6. . .
1 Bowl. 1 Bung Boarer	2. .	1 Pitcher & 1 Spoon & 6 Forks	5. . .
2 Small Barrels	3. .	3 Brushes, 1 Breale Bit	3. .
1 Brandy Barrel	3. .	3 Tiles & 2 Gunblatts	1. 3
2 Tea Pots	2. 6	1 Large Looking Glass	1. 17. 5
1 Sugar dish	2. .	4 Parcel of Peaches	6. .
1 Coffee Pot & 1 Melling	3. 6	4 Parcel of Peas & Beans	6. .
1 Turner & 1 Melling Pot	7. .	9 Geese and 1 Dunghill Fowls	1. . .
1 Butter Bowl & 1 Plate	2. .	2 Cows & 1 Calves 1 Heifer	7. . .
1 Doz. Butter quon Ch. Plates	8. .	1 Baron Cow. 1 Black Horse	8. . .
6 Pups	3. .	1 Stead Horse	64. . .
6 Breakfast do	2. .	1 Sorell Man	27. 10. .
1 Dish and 2 small Plates	1. 6	5 Fat Hogs	9. . .
2 Butter Plates 1 Pickle Dish	9	40 Barrels Corn & Fodder	13. 10. .
1 Doz. Tea spoons 2 small ditto	4. .	1 Table Cloth 3 Towels	9. .
1 Tea Bottle & 1 Tumbler	16. .	1 Negro Woman or a Boy Child	50. . .
1 Dice Box	1. 6	1 Negro Woman or a Girl	25. . .
1 Cart & 1 Wheel	18. .	1 Sugar Box	7. 6
2 Pocket Books	9. .	1 Marring Box Razor & Soap	5. .
10 Tea cups 12 Sauces 1 Milk Pail	15. .	1 Currit Pole 1 Curry Comb & Brush	3. 6
		60 Gallons Cyder	1. 10. .
		1 Hiale	1. 4. .
		1 Wheel Bag	1. .
		1 Horse Bell	2. .
		4 Channel Horse Drefs	7. .

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John Lamb Com

In Obedience to an Order of Court our directed in the Subscribers
being first sworn have Valued and appraised the Estate of
Daniel Lamb dec'd in Current Money to the sum above
mentioned

David Massorpe
Stephen Andrews
Benjamin Ellis

The Court held for Sussex County the 19th day of July 1787
This Inventory and appraisement of the Estate of Daniel
Lamb dec'd was returned into Court and ordered to be Recorded

Teste Mich^l Bailey C. Cur

And at another Court held for said County the 26th
day of Sept 1787 Robert Andrews and the Executor
named in the Will qualified thereto as the law
directs gave Bond & Certificate is granted him
to join in the execution of said Will

Teste Mich^l Bailey C. Cur

We the Subscribers in Obedience to an Order of the Worshipful
Court of Sussex County, being first sworn have appraised the Estate
of William Bailey Clarke dec'd and find it follows -

1 Cask & Cask Case	12	-	-	1 Lamp 3 Glass	15	6
1 Cask	3	-	-	1 Sugar dish & bowl	2	-
1 Chest of Drawers	2	-	-		15	14
1 Day Chairs	7	15	-	1 Fruit or plates basket	4	-
2 Square Tables	4	-	-	22 best China plates	2	15
1 Corner do	1	4	-	7 Quaker China dishes	15	-
6 Leather bottom Chairs	-	14	-	22 Quaker China plates	10	-
6 Rush bottom do	-	18	-	18 do do do	9	-
1 Round Table	-	12	-	2 China bowls	10	-
1 Candle Stand	-	7	-	3 Salts	4	6
1 Large looking Glass	2	-	-	3 Mirrors	4	6
1 do do	1	10	-	4 Cut and Cups	2	6
1 Bed Furniture	10	-	-	6 Petticoats	1	-
1 do do	2	-	-	3 Pillow Cases	3	-
1 do do	10	-	-	2 Pillow Cases	3	-
1 do do	14	-	-	18 Pillow Cases	12	-
1 do do	9	-	-	5 do do do	17	6
1 do do	6	-	-	5 do do do	7	6
1 Pair Curtains	4	10	-	2 Large Mirrors	2	6
1 Crib & Furniture	1	10	-	18 Mirrors & Works	18	-
1 Bed quilt	2	-	-	11 Table Spoons	5	-
2 Pictures	-	12	-	1 Large Spoon do	1	10
1 Chamber	3	-	-	1 Silver Spoon	15	-
14 New Glasses	-	7	-	6 Tea Spoons	10	-
2 Turnip & Glasses	-	2	6	3 Candle Sticks	12	-
6 Cut and Cups	-	4	6	23 quart Bowls	6	-
	185	6	-		17	14

	17	19		9	6	9
2 Coffee Pots	-	5	2 Garden Hoes	-	-	8
2 Tea Kettles	-	9	2 Little Cast Wheel Boxes	-	2	8
2 Chamber Caskets	-	1	1 Trip Saw	-	5	-
	18	14	3 Chugers	-	3	-
4 Small Metal Pots	-	4	2 Gauges	-	1	-
2 Lugs	-	12	1 Lath Plaster	-	1	3
2 Tea Cans	-	1	1 Draw Knife	-	2	6
4 Trenches	1	15	1 Brass do	-	2	-
1 Case of Nuts	-	10	5 Charcoal do	1	15	-
1 Set of Tools do	-	7	7 Iron	-	2	0
1 Box Hand Saw box	-	3	3 Chisels	-	4	-
1 Tool	-	3	1 Foot Raddy	-	2	-
2 Quire paper	-	3	1 Piece	-	2	6
1 Saw	1	-	3 Samways	-	2	-
1 Pair, Pickel, Pickets	1	4	1 Pair chippers	-	-	6
2 Pair Remy Holes	-	5	1 Hoe on ake Hammer	-	1	3
4 Chamber Pots	-	6	6 Adels	-	1	-
23 Nails & 2 Galvanized	-	6		12	15	3
1 Brass & Casket	-	3				
1 Monitor	-	3	10 Cyane Caskets	1	5	-
2 Castles	-	10	2 Bagshawes	-	2	-
7 Carole Holes	-	14	9 Barrels	-	13	-
2 Sugar Boxes	-	4	2 Pair Large H. Hinges	-	4	6
1 Change Chest	-	1	1 Metal Chest	-	2	3
1 Box Types	-	6	1 Curry Comb & Brush	-	2	3
1 Case Sewing Machine	-	6	2 Phurds bees Wax	-	1	3
2 Tea Caskets	-	4	2 Bagg Gentles	-	3	6
1 Brass Case & Presses	-	10	1 Cotton Machine	-	2	-
1 Thawing Box	-	2	2 Lamps & Triples	-	18	-
2 Pair Box Sissors	-	12	5 Shuttles	-	2	6
2 Pair Tongue Chisels	-	6	5 Lotts Hangers	-	5	-
8 Barrels	-	12	8 Flays	-	8	-
8 Little Clocks	4	16	1 Pair Sheep Shears	-	1	-
60 Rocks	4	-	2 Pad Locks	-	2	-
1 Riding Chair Harness	5	-	600 H. Stails	-	4	-
1 Padlock & Chain	1	-	38 Pounds of Green Wool	3	16	-
3 Iron Pots	1	2	45 Pounds of Green Cotton	4	10	-
1 Copper Kettle	2	5	1 Dutch Cook	-	8	-
3 Pair Fork Hooks	-	3	1 Parcel of Study & Tools	-	7	6
3 Cakes	-	15	40 Geese	3	10	-
	30	2	40 Turkeys	4	4	-
			22 Ducks	-	12	-
1 Kittel	-	2		23	16	6
2 Drying Cans	-	4				
1 Bee Cake Baker	-	1				
1 Washfork & Remover	-	2				
2 Quire Hops	-	3				
1 Spit & 3 Flat Irons	-	9	1 Peter	75	-	-
1 Bottle & Mortar	-	8	2 Ben	60	-	-
1 Grain & Stone	-	5	3 Matt	100	-	-
4 Spinning Wheels	1	10	4 Charles	80	-	-
6 Pair Cards	-	7	5 Stars	30	-	-
1 Saw	-	2	6 Cowry	75	-	-
1 Box Cast & Chain	1	7	7 Hacky	60	-	-
5 Iron Hoes	1	10	3 Old Box	10	-	-
5 Medding do	-	16				
7 Sulling do	-	14				
4 Grubbing do	-	15				
2 Pair Iron Mages	-	8				
1 Hand Saw & Files	-	4				
	2	9				
	9	6				
	9	6				

9 Billy	40
10 Hester	45
11 George	40
12 Boatman	30
13 Sam	30
14 Sammey	25
15 Moses	20
16 Jack	15
17 Matt	17 10
18 Old Fortune	5
19 Lukay	30
20 Kasper	30
21 Edggy	60
22 Comp Child	70
23 Polley Child	30
24 Betty Child	45
25 Fortune	75
26 Senney	60
27 Conny	75
28 Kasper	45
29 Elsie	30
30 Lydia	63
31 Edmy	45
32 Warsha	35
33 Charlott	30
34 Annaloy	15
35 Marissa	28
36 Daniel	10
37	

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1 Bay Horse	20
1 Bay Mare	25
1 Bay Horse	15
1 Threl Mare	12
1 Dark Bay Horse	8
1 Roan Mare	12
2 Young Black Hares	20
1 Work Oxen	25
9 Colick Cows	20
4 Horses 1 Bull the best	10 16
16 Hogs	4 12
16 do Pork	16 10
16 Sheep	6
1 Black Mare	7 10
1 Work Lick	1
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Total £2033 6 9
 Amount of William P. Claiborne's Estate

Appraised by the Subscribers
 Alexander B. Smith
 Robert C. Mudge
 William Heath

At a Court held for Fairfax County the 20th Sept. 1787
 This Appraisment of the Estate of William P. Claiborne
 Esq^r was returned into Court & ordered to be recorded

Test
 Matthew Bailey & Co

At a Court held for Brunswick County the 19th day of December 1787
 Edmund Oppes & others Compt^s

James Greenway adm^r of
 all the & Anne Moore's dec'd } Depts } In Chancery

A report of the persons named in the last directed order in
 this cause is now returned in the following words, to wit,
 "Pursuant to a decree of the Worshipful Court of Chancery
 County bearing date the third Monday in August term
 1786, We the undersigned therein nominated have examined
 & settled the account current of Doct^r James Greenway
 Adm^r of John & Martha Moore's dec'd & do find the said
 account to be just. And upon his delivering the
 Compt^s John & Fredk. Dixon Bond agreeable to the
 said decree, he will have fully administered their
 proportions of the Estate aforesaid

Rob^t. Walker

Edward Wyatt

John Purwell

Which account, so by them referred to Hands Stated above their
 said report thus to wit

"The Estates of all the & Anne Moore's in acct with James
 Greenway Adm^r"

"May 1778 To p^r Clerk of Sup^r for Adm^r

"To p^r Thom^s Bonner for crying the negroes - 6 - 1778 June 26 By Amount

"To a bill of exchange for 305. 13. 8 - 305. 13. 8 - States of the negroes

"To p^r S^r Robt^t Moore's Note of hand - 2. 17. 6 - (1025. 10

"To p^r S^r Moore's Overseer - 2. - - 1779 May 22 By

"To p^r Rich^d Biggins his power of att^r - 1. - - 1779 May 22 By

"To balance due to the Estate - 793. 11. 10 - amount of Sales

1105. 14. - of the Personal Estate 80. 4. 1105. 14

"The children of S^r Ep^r Legacies and Compt^s in acct with James Greenway Adm^r

To p^r on the Contra money for Anno 1778 L^d 2. - - 1778

To p^r - - - for Anno 1779. 4. 12. 6 - June By their proportions

To Bonds Bond & C. always ready to be - 461. 19. 2 - of the Estate of all the & Anne

assigned due the 14th of March 1780. 461. 19. 2 - Moore's sold as above

On consideration whereof it is decreed that the said James Greenway's
 account current of his Administration of the Estates of all the & Anne
 Moore's dec'd be recorded as & for the true & just Statement of his
 administration aforesaid; and it is further ordered & decreed
 that the said James Greenway assign & deliver unto the Compt^s John and
 Fredk. Dixon bond for four hundred & thirty one pounds
 nineteen Shillings & two pence due the 14th March 1780 which
 is hereby adjudged to be in full Satisfaction of all demands
 the Compt^s aforesaid have ag^t him the said James Greenway of
 & concerning the premises and it is further ordered
 that the costs of this Suit be borne respectively by the parties
 themselves

Copy Teste

Nicholas C. D. B.

A Court held for Sussex County the 20th of Sept^r 1787
 This account current of the Estates of all Arthur & Anne allors
 was returned into Court & ordered to be recorded
 Test Wmth Bailey Cl. Ck

The Inventory & appraisement of James Finch deceased
 January 29. 1787

One Horse	£7. -
coll his Working cloze	2. 7. -
28 Barrel of Corn at 3 rd Bushel	7. 6
1 hundred Gallons Sider at 1 st 1/2 Gallon	3. 2. 6
3 Gallons Brandy	15. -
	£13. 12. -

Peter Rainey
 Jesse Foxman
 William Harper
 Seymour Powell Administrator

A Court held for Sussex County the 20th day of Sept^r 1787
 This Inventory and appraisement of the Estate of James Finch
 was returned into Court & ordered to be recorded
 Test Wmth Bailey Cl. Ck

Amount of the Sale of the Estate of James Finch deceased
 January 29. 1787

Drury Queen 2 Cynaburgs Shirts	£13. -
Abraham Powell 1 bar & bucket 2 bar ds	2. -
Seymour Powell 2 Buckets 1 st 1/2 br cockles	7. 1
Edw ^d Powell jr 2. Chex handkerchiefs	2. -
Drury Queen 1 Coat	7. 1
Seymour Powell 1. Cloake	4. -
Edw ^d Powell jr 1 st 1/2 Boots	2. 6
Seymour Powell 1. Tolt hall	4. 6
Edw ^d Powell Senr 3 bushels of Corn at 2 nd 1/2 Bush	7. 6
Thos ^s Hartaway 3 Gallons of Brandy at 5 th	15. 3
Seymour Powell 100 Gallons Sider	3. 2. 6
Seymour Powell 1 st 1/2 leather breeches	5. -
Thos ^s Hartaway 1. 1/2 Shoes	2. 3
	£19. 11

Seymour Powell Admin^r

A Court held for Sussex County the 20th Sept^r 1787
 This Account of the Sale of the Estate of James Finch deceased was returned
 into Court & ordered to be recorded
 Test Wmth Bailey Cl. Ck

*Inventory and appraisement of the Residence
of the Estate of Daniel Lamb Dec^d Taken the 18th
Sept^r 1787*

1 Negro boy Benjamin	£ 50.00
1 Pair Silk stockings & Glass waist Pins	12.00
1 Suit of Cloths	5.10.00
1 Suit do	2.15.00
1 Suit do	2.10.00
1 Coat and 3 Waistcoats 1 Pair Breeches	1.16.00
1 Great Coat	1.18.00
2 Pair Stockings	5.00
2 Pair Silk do	4.4.00
2 Shirts	1.5.00
1 do do	5.00
1 Hat	1.4.00
1 Handkerchief 2 Buckle Cloths	5.00
1 Waistcoat 1 Pair Breeches 1 Pair Stockings 1 Shirt	9.00
1 Hat	1.3.00
1 Pair Shoes	1.6.00
1 Pair Shoe buckles 2 Pair New do	9.6.00
1 Buckle buckle 1 Breast Buckle	1.7.6.00
1 Horse Whip	13 70.18.00

John Lamb

In obedience to an Order of Court we have Valued
as appraisers the Residence of the Estate of Daniel
Lamb Dec^d in current Money to the above amount

David Mason Jun^r

Benjamin Ellis

Thomas Tomlinson

A Court held for Sussex County the 20th Sept^r 1787

This Inventory and appraisement of the Residence of
the Estate of Daniel Lamb was returned and ordered
to be Recorded

Test at the County of Sussex W. C. C. C.

Item	Price	Total
To 100 lbs. Sugar	30	30
To 100 lbs. Flour	20	20
To 100 lbs. Lard	40	40
To 100 lbs. Butter	60	60
To 100 lbs. Eggs	45	45
To 100 lbs. Hops	40	40
To 100 lbs. Tea	25	25
To 100 lbs. Coffee	10	10
To 100 lbs. Spices	6	6
To 100 lbs. Sugar	6	6
To 100 lbs. Flour	10	10
To 100 lbs. Lard	14	14
To 100 lbs. Butter	5	5
To 100 lbs. Eggs	4	4
To 100 lbs. Hops	1	1
To 100 lbs. Tea	3	3
To 100 lbs. Coffee	7	7
To 100 lbs. Spices	7	7
To 100 lbs. Sugar	15	15
To 100 lbs. Flour	7	7
To 100 lbs. Lard	6	6
To 100 lbs. Butter	2	2
To 100 lbs. Eggs	2	2
To 100 lbs. Hops	8	8
To 100 lbs. Tea	2	2
To 100 lbs. Coffee	4	4
To 100 lbs. Spices	3	3
To 100 lbs. Sugar	5	5
To 100 lbs. Flour	2	2
To 100 lbs. Lard	2	2
To 100 lbs. Butter	2	2
To 100 lbs. Eggs	10	10
To 100 lbs. Hops	5	5
To 100 lbs. Tea	3	3
To 100 lbs. Coffee	2	2
To 100 lbs. Spices	2	2
To 100 lbs. Sugar	10	10
To 100 lbs. Flour	5	5
To 100 lbs. Lard	5	5
To 100 lbs. Butter	18	18
To 100 lbs. Eggs	5	5
To 100 lbs. Hops	4	4
To 100 lbs. Tea	12	12
To 100 lbs. Coffee	12	12
To 100 lbs. Spices	12	12

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To 2 Eying pans / Shells and 5 Box Patts.	"	15	
To 1 Ham & 2 Cider Casks Cold Barrels	"	10	
To 1 Saw horse	"	10	
To a quantity of Corn	24		
To 1000 ad. Cattle	15		
To 3 Trays & 2 Washing Tubbs	"	4	
To 26 H. Hogs	10		
To 1 Barrel of Pot	10		
To 2 Cold Barrels	"	1	6
To 1 Cart w/ 4 Wheels	1	5	
To 4 Water pails Cold Lumber	"	4	
To a Parcel of Powder	2		
To 2 Brass Cooks	"	2	
To 4 Geese	"	5	
To 1 Gun	"	10	
To 2 Sord of Horses	10		
To 1 Bad mare	10		
To 1 young Sord Mare	10		
To 1 Grind Stone	"	2	6
To 5 Sheep	1	10	
To 1 Stone Sugg Drawing knife & 1 Pair	"	2	6
To 1 M. alloy Scales	"	2	6
To 1 Glass Bottle 2 Scurrows 1 Brass Glass Stone	"	2	
To 5 Sheets 1 Table Cloth & new Virginia Cloth	3	6	
To 1 small trunk	"	1	3
To 1 Hay	"	1	6
		461	13 6

In obedience to an Order of the Worshipful Court of
 Sussex County the the Subscribers being first sworn for
 that purpose have valued and appraised the Estate of
 Cicilia Stokes dec'd to four Hundred thirty one pounds
 thirteen Shillings six pence current money.

Samuel Hoaman doct:
 Robert Andrews
 Charles Jenkins } apprs
 John Jenkins

Returned into Sussex County Court the 18. day of
 October 1787 And Ordered to be recorded.

Teste Mich^e Bailey Ck

S. Maggot
 Will

In the name of God Amen this Twenty ninth day of
 October 1784 I Samuel Maggot of Sussex County being in
 reasonable health and of sound mind and memory do conclude to
 make and ordain this my last will and Testament
 Thus - Give and bequeath to my grandson William Maggot all my
 Land and plantation to him and his heirs forever also all the
 Bed and furniture one Cow & calf one Cow & piggs eight Barrels of
 Corn Give I bequeath to my grand Children Sons and Daughters of
 Elizabeth Larrad ten Shillings each Lawful money of Virginia
 also Give to Mary Larrad Daughter of the above said one Negro

Wench named Diner to her other heirs forever in
 Item I give and bequeath to my grand children Louis & Daughters
 Leanne Partridge ten shillings each and full attorney of Virginia
 Item I give and bequeath to my Grand Daughter Mary Maggot
 Daughter of Micajah Maggot one Negro Girl named Penny and
 fifty pounds current Money to her and her heirs forever
 also one Womans Ladder.

Item I give & bequeath to my Son William Maggot one Negro
 Cotton named Harper.

Item I give and bequeath to my Daughter Charlotte Jackson one
 Negro Wench named Coby her other Increase to her other heirs forever.

Item I give and bequeath to my Grand Daughter Brambley
 Partridge one Negro girl named Dick to her other heirs forever.

Item I give and bequeath all the remainder part of my Estate
 Estate be it in whatsoever kind found to be equally divided
 amongst my four children namely Nicholas & Mary & William
 Maggot Mary Smith and Charity Jackson to them their heirs
 forever.

Item I Ordain my Son Nicholas Maggot and my Son William
 Maggot Sole Executors of this my Last Will and Testament
 revoking and annulling all former Wills and Testaments
 by me in any wise made acknowledging this to be my
 Last & Seal this in the presence of

Teste
 Nicholas Wilson

William ^{mark} Maggot 3

and Maggot



ss. a Court held in Sussex County the 18th day of October 1784.
 The last Will and Testament of Samuel Maggot deceased was produced
 into Court by Nicholas Maggot & William Maggot the Executors
 therein named & proved by the oaths of Nicholas Wilson &
 William Clark the Witnesses thereto and by the Court
 Ordered to be recorded. And on motion of said Executors
 who made oath thereto according to Law and with oaths
 Blain and Charles Jackson their Securities entered into
 and acknowledged their Bonds in the penalty of two thousand
 pounds conditioned as the Law directs Certificate is
 granted them for obtaining a Probate thereof in due form

Teste
 Micah Bailey Clerk

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Account current of the Estate of John Robinson dec^d
 By Thomas Robinson Executor

1783	To paid for recording the Will	£ 5. 0
do	To paid William Garrison for a division	" 2. 6
do	To paid William Chapmanburg 2 fees for 1781	" 12. 0
do	To paid Doctor Lyons acct ^d proved	1. 8. 0
do	To paid for recording the appraisements	1. 11. 3
do	To paid for making copies	" 12. 0
do	To paid William Chapmanburg fees for 1782 -	2. 14. 8
do	To paid Henry Heath for a Division	" 5. 3
do	To paid John Whitfield for buying Estate	4. 13. 8
	To Balance due	£ 7. 19. 8
		30. 0. 10
		£ 38. 0. 6

Contra
 By account of Sales to the amount of £ 38. 0. 6
 By Balance due the Estate £ 30. 0. 10

Thomas Robinson E. E.

This Account Current of the Estate of John Robinson dec^d was returned into Sussex County Court the 18. day of October 1784 Exam^d by the Court Approved & ordered to be recorded

Exam^d

Teste att: Bailey C. C.
 J. D.

In the name of God. Amen I Heubin Baird of the County of Sussex and Parish of Allmarle thro' the abundant mercy and goodness of God tho' Weak in Body yet of a sound & disposing mind and memory do constitute this my Last Will and Testament and do desire that it may be received by all as such - First I most humbly bequeath my Soul to God my maker beseeching his most graciously acceptance of it thro' the all sufficient merit of his Son Jesus Christ as to my worldly Estate I will and demise unto my beloved Son Benjamin Baird of the said County & Parish all my Lands and Tenements in the said County & Parish containing by estimation two Hundred & ninety acres more or less to him his heirs and assigns forever.

472 And I do constitute and appoint my Son Benjamin Baird
 sole Exor. of this my last Will and Testament I do
 acknowledge this to be my last Will and Testament hereby
 revoking nullifying & making void all former Wills that
 have been made by me heretofore made In Testimony
 whereof I have herunto affixed my Hand & Seal this 15th
 day of November in the year of our Lord 1787 one thousand seven
 hundred & eighty seven -

Signed & sealed & acknowledged ^{his} Benjamin Baird ^{his} Seal
 In presence of 3 mark

Nathan Northington
 Lewis X Solomon
 Martha ^{mark} Seaborn ^{mark}

At a Court held for Suffolk County the 15 day of November 1787
 The last Will & Testament of Benjamin Baird ^{deceased} was Exhibited
 into Court by Ben^a Baird the Executor therein named proved by
 the Oaths of Nathan Northington & Lewis Solomon two of the
 Witnesses thereto & ordered to be Recorded for motion of the said
 Exor who made Oath thereto according to Law and with the said
 Baird & Lewis Solomon his Secuties ordered to enter to maintain
 their Bond in the penalty of five hundred pounds one hundred
 as the Law directs Certificate is granted him for obtaining
 a probat thereof in due form

Teste M. D. Bailey Esq.
 J. C.

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The Inventory and Appraisement of the Estate of
 Louis Johnson, Esq. Taken the 30th day of March 1736
 Taken by Charles Sedgwick, Samuel Lupton and John
 Newbode & Appraisers

1 Negroe Bells and her Child	50	"	"
1 Negroe James	25	"	"
1 Negroe Tom	5	"	"
1 Pair of Cast Wheels	1	10	"
1 Churn	"	8	"
4 Yards Virginia Cloth	"	7	6
2 and a half yards Corduroy	"	10	6
To 1 and 3 quarter yards of Tere	"	10	"
To 1 Saddle and Bridle	"	7	6
To a parcel of Books	"	10	"
To a parcel of Cotton	"	2	"
To 2 pair of Cotton Cards	"	2	6
To 1 Table	"	12	"
To a half Dozen sitting Chairs	"	1	10
To a parcel of Copper Tools	"	2	6
To a Spinning wheel and Reel	"	5	"
To a parcel of Lumber	"	2	"
To a parcel of Saddle Tap	"	17	6
To a parcel of Hat	"	7	6
To 2 Hoes and hoes	"	5	"
To 1 Guinea Stone	"	4	"
To 1 Copper Kettle	"	5	"
To 1 Pot & Dishes	"	3	"
To a parcel of Soap and 5 Vials	"	6	"
To 2 Bones and 1 Razor and Knife	"	2	6
To 1 pair of Ironing Plates	"	1	"
To a parcel of Spices and Licks	"	3	9
To 1 Cart 2 Bows & 2 Bows	"	1	3
To 1 Traying pan 1 Tub and Pails	"	1	3
To 1 Chamber pot	"	7	6
To 1 Cow hide	"	2	"
To 1 e Bag	"	17	6
To a parcel of Leather	"	10	"
To 6 Hoes	"	4	4
To a parcel of Corn	"	2	6
To a few Sprigs and 3 Hogs	"	10	"
To a loose Coal and hat	"	4	"
To 1 Tobacco Hogshoe	"	7	10
To 300 of Bacon	"	6	"
To 1 Copper Pan	"	15	"
To a parcel of Candles	"	6	"
To 1 pair of Saddle Bags	"	10	"
To 1 Belmuths Skillet	"	12	"
To 1 Cellare and Cell	"	12	7 5

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Amount brot up	L 124 7 5
To 1 ellars &c	3 " "
To 2 Beds and Bedsteads	6 " "
To 2 Barrels	" 2 6
To a pair of Men's Lockings	" 6 "
To 3 1/2 Yards of Linnen	" 10 "
To a Sounter and Bro. and one Horse Collar	" 4 "
To a pair of Silver Shoe buckles	1 5 "

John Harwood }
 Charles Perkins } *Wm Sylvanus Bell*
 Burwell Loftin } *William Stewart* } *Cross*

Returned into Sussex County Court the 20th day of December 1787
 and Ordered to be Recorded
Wm Michl Bailey C. Clerk

An Acc^t Current of the Estate of Thomas Cooper deceased

To Cash paid James Jones Sheriff	1 1 11
To paid Stephen Androp for Coffin	" 12 6
To Cash paid for Brandy	" 4 6
To do to Ben ^y Hacy for getting Tossan	" 5 "
To paid Henry Barker's proved Acct	" 1 6
To Cash paid for crying the Estate	" 3 "
To Cash paid the Clerk for Recording Will	" 5 "
To paid the Sheriff of Sussex for Taxes	1 8 "
To the Clerk for Recording Acc ^t Current	" 5 7 1/2
To the Commissioners for settling the Estate	3 " "
	7 4 1/2

James Cooper's X mark

1787
 June 11

By James Cooper Executor	
By Money found in the House	1 12 3
By the Amount of the Sales of the Estate	70 2 4
By Cash Received of Ben ^y Smith	5 "

Examined and approved L 71 19 7
 Returned into Sussex County Court the 20th day of September 1787 Audited by *Sham Gilliam*
 the Executors Report ordered to be recorded *William Stewart*
Wm Michl Bailey C. Clerk

Mary
Parham
Will

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In the name of God amen, I Mary Parham being
in a very low state of health but in my Perfect Senses and
Memory thanks be to almighty God for it do make & Ordain
this to be my last Will and Testament in manner & ofore
following that is to say

Item I Give unto my son Polling Wall one bed, bedstead
and Counterpin to him and his heirs forever

Item I provided my Daughter, Polly Dixon Loward should
live to have Issue then I Give unto her two Negroes, Lepra
Silva, they and their Increase to her and her heirs forever
with a Bond against John Dixon of fifty pound every
other thing of every nature and kind soever except the

Bonds I fore Given to my son Dixon Wall in a written
agreement to pay of my debts that is their mentioned I do
Give to my son Dixon Wall, one bed, bolster & bedstead

but provided my Daughter Polly Dixon Loward
should not live to have issue, then at her death
I Give unto my son Polling Wall the above named

Negroes and their increase to him this Wills for ever
with every thing above given to my Daughter Polly
L. Loward to him & his heirs forever and lastly

I do appoint my son Dixon Wall Exor of this my last
Will & Testament & Tutor & Manager of my
Daughter Polly, L. Loward until she is the

age of Twenty one Year old or marry & her
estate Given from under my hand & Seal this
thirteenth Day of June 1787.

Test
Thos Chappell
John Kelley
John X. Kelley

Mary Parham Seal

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We the Subscribers being appointed by the Honorable Court of Luise,
being first sworn to appraise the estate of Thos. Weather ^{alias} James
the same as follows—

1796
March 6

To one bed & Furniture	4	To a parcel of Bacon	2	10
Little Bed and Furniture	4	To one Barrel of Gun	1	5
To one Table	-	To two new chairs	8	
To a Corn tray & Harrows	-	To four Hoes	5	
To one Gun & Bayonet	10	To three Iron Wedges	3	9
To 1 Looking Glass	1	To a parcel of Corn	3	10
To one Box Iron & Heating	10	To a parcel of Tobacco	3	4
To four deep hooks	1	To one plow and hoe	3	9
To 1 spring wheel and pair of Axes	10	To one leather case & Club	6	3
To one Tub, pail & Priggin	7	To two boxes and two pipes	2	5
To two Trays	1	To 6 head of Cattle & Cows	6	15
To 2 small Pans	1	To a parcel of Lard	5	
To one Saddle & Bridle	7	To black Hair	17	10
To one Raw head	5	To one small Cloth	12	
To 1 plowing Harrow	1	To a new head of sheep	2	
To one sword & Sharp shears	5	To four Geese	5	
To one stone mug & Crook	4	To a parcel of Cotton	1	2
To 1 Pine Chest	1	To one horse bell	2	0
To a parcel of Lint	15	To 1 pair of Taylor's Shears	1	
To 1 Punch Bowl	1	To 1 pair of	1	6
To a parcel of old Books	1	To 1 small Bag	1	3
To one razor & Spectacles	1	To 1 small Hat	1	4
To 1 knife & 5 small Locks	6	To 1 small Hat	1	4
To 2 Iron Kelly Hooks	17	To 1 small Hat	1	4
To one Tying Pan	5	To 1 small Hat	1	4
To 1 small Gun	7	To 1 small Hat	1	4

Returned into Sussex County Court the 17th day of May 1788
and ordered to be Recorded

Wm Bailey Ck. Care

The Estate of Thomas Weathers Dec^d to Wm Gilliam Esq

1777	To paid the Elors of Thomas Weathers Dec ^d as per acct	£ 7. 12
March	To paid Wm John Scott as per acct	1. 12
	To paid Benjamin Sykes as per acct	1. 3
	To paid Ephraim Knight as per acct	5
	To p ^d Benjamin Wilborn as per acct	9
	To p ^d James Bilbro as per acct	5
	To p ^d the Secretary 40 ^{cts} as per Ticket a 12/6	8
	To p ^d Thomas Weathers as per acct	10 3/4
	To paid John and Arthur Williamson as per acct	16
	To paid Samuel Worthington as per acct	14 1/2
	To paid Michael Weathers as per acct	4 7
	To paid Captain Jonas Bill as per acct	5 1/2
	To paid for Liquor at the sale of Estate	5
	To paid Col. Claiborne as Clk of ho of Jusps 40 ^{cts} as per acct	8 6 1/4
	To balance as per Contra	62. 12. 1/4
		<u>70. 19. 1</u>

To paid Wm Susannah Weathers for boarding	} 28
Coathing her two children 5 years as per acct	
To paid Wm Richard Rose for board & schooling	} 2. 5
of Benjamin Weathers as per acct	
To Wm Bailey Clk of Jusps for recording	} 12 6
In entry and appraisement 100 ^{cts} as per acct	
To Wm Bailey for recording this acct 25 ^{cts} as per Ticket a 12/6	3 1/2
	<u>37. 0. 1 1/2</u>

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March 6th

contra

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By Amount of the Sales of the Estate to be } 10. 19. 1.
Paid this Day

By Bal^{ls} of the Estate as per acct of Sales to be } 31. 6. 1.
Settled in the Court as due the 6th March 1776
L^{ts} 2. 12. 1/4 & 2 for 1.

E & A
Isaac Gilliam } Receiv^{er}

The above ^{acc^{ts}} Exam^d & find one charge for which no Vouchers
are produced and are not proved

Wm^{ts} Nicholson
John Ingham

At a Court held for Suffolk County the 17th day of May 1788
This account current of the Estate of Thomas Weather
decd was returned Examined & approved of by the
Court and ordered to be received

Per Mich^l Bailey W^{re}

John Freeman
Will

In the name of God amen I John Freeman of
Suffolk County being of perfect mind and disposing I hereby make
and Ordain this my last Will and Testament in manner & form following
Imprimis, My Will and desire is that at the Expiration of ye ar
one thousand seven hundred and eighty eight my Land Plantations
whereon I now live be equally divided between my two Sons
Henry and William Freeman to them & their Heirs for ever

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Item I Give and bequeath the use of my Land and Plantation
the ensuing Year to my Daughter Sally Freeman and my
two Sons Charles & Josiah Freeman, Together with ^{all} my
Plantation, Utensils, with such Stocks of all kinds and
Household Furniture as is hereafter enumerated to be
kept thereon for the purpose of making a crop under the
Care and oversight of my Car & my Son William Freeman
Item I give and bequeath to my Daughter Mary Gay Ten pounds
Cash one feather bed and Furniture to hold their heirs forever
Item I give and bequeath to my Daughter Sarah Freeman
Ten pounds Cash one feather bed and furniture one Cow and
calf to her and her heirs forever -

Item I give & bequeath to my Daughter Elizabeth Harwood five
Shillings Cash to her & her heirs forever -

Item I give & bequeath to my Son Charles Freeman Twenty
pounds Cash one horse bridle & saddle one feather bed and
furniture, one Cow & calf one Ewe & Lamb a pair of my
Cart wheels & Cuir I also lend him the use of my Negroe
girl Dinah until she arrive to ^{the age of} twenty one years (she was
born the nineteenth day of October anno Dom. one
thousand seven hundred and Seventy nine) then my
Will is that she should enjoy ^{and have} her perfect Freedom
during her Life - I likewise give unto him the use
of a Negroe boy named Ben until he arrive to the
age of Twenty one Years, & then my Will is that the said
Ben have his perfect Freedom during his Life - the
above said Negroe Ben was born in the Year one thousand
seven hundred & Eighty Six in the last day of May -

Item, I give & bequeath unto my Son Josiah Freeman Twenty
 Pound Cash, one horse a bridle & saddle one Feather bed
 & Furniture one Cow & calf one Doe & Lamb, a gun a pair of my
 Cart wheels I likewise desire that my Executors here after
 mentioned may raise the sum of Ten Pounds from the
 Labour of my Negroe Woman named Dige for my Son Josiah
 and then my Will is that the said Negroe Woman Dige
 with all her Increase from this Time may have & enjoy their
 perfect Freedom during their life - only my Will is that
 if the said Negroe Woman Dige should have a Child or children
 in the above said Time of her being in servitude for raising
 the above mentioned sum of Ten pounds that the child or
 Children if any should belong to my Son Josiah until they
 arrive to the age of twenty one Years & then to be free
 during their Life -

Item my Will desire is at the Expiration of the year one thousand
 seven hundred eighty eight - that the remaining part of my estate
 be equally divided amongst all my Children, and that the
 Crop which shall be on the Plantation, which I desire may
 equally be divided between Sally Freeman Charles Josiah
 Freeman

Item, as it is my Will & desire that no part of my estate at any
 time should be sold I leave the care of my two Sons Charles &
 Josiah with their property of every kind to the care of my Son
 William Freeman at the ensuing Year until they come
 of age -

I constitute and appoint Harris Nicholas & Henry Freeman
 executors of this my last Will & Testament annulling

all other Wills and Testaments heretofore made by me
Item my Will & desire is that my estate be not appraised
Signed & Sealed this Twentieth ^{Month} day of December One
Thousand Seven hundred and eighty seven

Signed Sealed & Delivered

In presence of us

James Lebles

Edward Wootton

Genard & Elison

John Freeman

The Court held for Suffolk County, the 17th day of January 1788
The last Will & Testament of John Freeman deceased was
Exhibited into Court by Harris Nicholson & Henry Freeman the
Executors thereof named & proved by the Oath of Edward Wootton
and the Affirmation of Genard & Elison two of the Witnesses
whereof & ordered to be recorded, and on motion of said Executors
who made Oath thereto according to Law and with Genard
& Elison & Edward Wootton their Securities entered into
and acknowledged their Bond in the Penalty of £1000
Conditioned as the Law directs Certificate is
granted them for obtaining a Probate thereof in due form

Test Michael Bailey Clerk
D

1779	An account Current of the Estate of James Cook deceased by			
Feb.	To Smithwork Corn &c of Lawrence Smith Esr	2	8 1	
	To Cash paid Benj. Caleb L4 Esr 10	"	8	
	To att for Brandy for use of Estate L4. D° 10.	3	1	
	To D ^r Charles Davis approved acct 8/ d° 10		9 1/2	
Mar.	To D ^r the Estate of Thomas Burton L24. d° 10	2	8	
	To D ^r sold George Rives — L2. 3. d° 10		4 3 1/2	
Aug.	To D ^r the Estate of Jane Blunk for an L30. 3. d° 10	3	18 3 1/2	
	To D ^r Robt Jones Sheriff L10. 4. d° 22		17 5 1/4	
Decr	To D ^r Sam ^s Lavenport — L12. d° 40		6	
	To D ^r Barnetton Jones L5. 2. 7 1/2 d° 50		2 1/2	
1780	John Locke Tobacco for the duty for a decree of the Court		10 7.	
March	To Lawrence Smith for Corn &c for use of Estate L2. 3. d° 50	2	9 4 3/4	
1781.	To Thomas Cooper for crying the estate		6	
Party	To Dr Nicholas Kester — L25 2 10 at 75		14	
March	To do 230 H ports at 27 0 1/2 at 90	6	18 10 1/2	
Nov ^r	To the Widow for her dower	10	7 3	
1782	To the Clerk for recording & appraising the Estate	1	11 3	
Party	To do 5 th Elizabeth Cook keeping 4 children 81 20			
1783	To do do Foster Cook — 2 do 82 11 16			
Party	To do do Eliz th Cook — 2 do 82 15			
1784	To do do — 2 do 83 12			
Apr 20	To do do — 2 do 83 12			
	To p ^d Jesse Lee's bond Principal & Interest — 2 17 2			
	To D ^r 5 th Mrs Cook for keeping Foster & Parnor		14	
1786	Cash B4 —			
Party	To do do Richard Harrison for Lamb & do 85		9	
	To do do for Sunday Cloths & making &c do	2	11	
1787	To do do Wm Spatchwell for schooling — 85	1	11 10	
Party	To do do James Cooks Board — 86	9		
	To do do William Spatchwell for schooling — 86	1	12 4	
	To do do for Sunday Cloths & making &c —	2	8 11 1/2	
	To the Exor for his trouble for settling the estate	135	17 5 1/2	
	L12 —			

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1779 Lawrence Smith Executor 6²

Feb^y By amount of Account of Sales £65 19^s 6^d at 10 6 11 10¹/₂

1780 By Cash rec^d of David Jones £1 15^s 8^d at 10 3 6¹/₄

Jan^y 1 By hire of Negroes in 79 - £100. 4 6^d 42 2 7 8¹/₂

Jan^y 1 By Cash rec^d for Do 80 - £475 - 80 75 6 8 8

Apr^y By amt of a/c of Sales by a/c of Court due June 1782 166

1782 By hire of Negroes Tabb 81 £770 acc^t 150 5 2 0

1783 By Do Tom Dick 81 for 50 lb Corn sold at 6^d 28

Jan^y By Do Tom Dick & Tabb for 1782. 44 30 Tobacco

1784 By 1000 of the above Tobacco sold at 25^s 12 10

Jan^y 1 By hire of Dick for 83 - 1205 Tobacco

1785 By do Tabb for Ditto 7 10

Jan^y 1 By do of Dick 84 13 17

1786 By do of Tabb 85 6

Jan^y 1 By do of Dick 86 13 1

By do of Tabb - Do Nath^l Dobie 4 6

By 1200 Tobacco rec^d at 25^s 12 18

By Cash rec^d of Mr Bonner Principal & Interest 6 2

197 13 11¹/₂
135 17 5¹/₂
61 16 6¹/₄

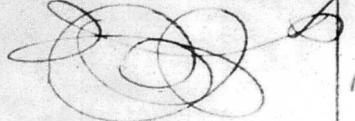
Allowance for settling acc^t 42

1787 Jan^y 18 Balance due for the above Tobacco 38 4 6¹/₂ 49 16 6¹/₂

We the Subscriber have Exam the above acc^t and find it Just
John Quakers Levy Rock etc

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At a Court held for Sussex County the 17th day of January 1788
This account Current of the estate of James Cook &c was
returned audited & with the auditors report ordered
to be Recorded

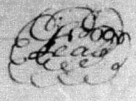
Teste Michl Bailey & Co


In the name of God Amen the 6th day of December
in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and eighty
Seven Betounning Stewart of the Parish of Allmonds and
County of Sussex Wife of Richard Stewart of the County & Parish
aforesaid being at this time sick and weak of Body but of sound
and disposing mind and Memory thanks be to almighty God
for the same and calling to mind the certainty of death and
the uncertainty of this Transitory Life do make he constitute
and Ordain this my Last Will & Testament in manner Following
that is to say First I recommend my Soul into the Hands of the
Almighty God hoping for Salvation through the Blood of my
blesed Redeemer (Jesus Christ) and my Body to the earth to be
decently buried at the discretion of my Husband and after to my
worldly Goods it hath pleased Almighty God to bless me with
I give and dispose of as Followeth
Imprimis I give all my estate both Real & Personal Consisting
of two Tracts of Land in Hanover County with ten Negroes with all
their future Increase and all my other estate of what kind soever
and wherever found to my loving Husband Richard Stewart
to him and his Heirs forever And lastly I do constitute & appoint

6th
6 4 10 1/2
3 6 1/4
2 2 7 8 1/2
6 8 8
June 166
0 5 2 0
12 10
7 10
13 17
6
15
6
13 1
4 6
12 18
6 2
197 13 11 3/4
35 17 5 1/2
61 16 6 1/4
49 16 6 2
and
Rock etc

my loving husband Richard Stewart my whole sole Executor
of this my last Will and Testament, In Testimony whereof I
have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Seal the day and
Year first above Written

Sign'd and Sealed
In presence of }
Wm Tomlinson Jun^r
J^r Tomlinson
Wm Tomlinson Jun^r

Morning Stewart 

A Court held for Sussex County the 20th day of March 1788
The last Will & Testament of Morning Stewart was exhibited into
Court by Rich^d Stewart the Executor therein named & proved
by the Oaths of J^r Tomlinson & William Tomlinson two of the
Witnesses thereto & ordered to be Recorded and on Motion
of the said Exor who with William Tomlinson his Security entered
into and Acknowledged their Bond in the Penalty of £5000
Conditioned as the Law directs Certificate is granted him for
Obtaining a Probate thereof in due form

Exam^d

Nich^s Bailey Clerk

Ecklers
Will

In the name of God amen I John Eckler of the County of Tuscarora being of sound Mind & Memory but weak and low in Body and calling to mind the great uncertainty of this Life do make Oracion, Publish and Declare this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following that is to say -

I hereby commend my soul to Almighty God who gave it me and my Body to be decently Buried by my hereafter named executor and as to that worldly estate it has pleased God to bestow on me in manner following to wit I give and bequeath to my son John two hundred Acres of Land on the North side of Wyatts Road granted me by Deed from Jackson (which said land now remains on record in Tuscarora County) to take Possession of the said Land when he shall arrive to the age of Twenty One Years to him and his heirs forever.

Item I lend my loving Wife Mary the use of my Plantation whereon I now live containing about four hundred Acres until she shall marry or my son William shall arrive to the age of Twenty one years and ^{when} either of the aforesaid contingencies shall happen I lend my said Wife the use of one half of my said Plantation during her natural Life and at her death to go as hereafter directed.

Item I lend my said Wife the use of my Nelson Place during her natural Life also I lend my said Wife the use of a good bed and Furniture three Cows and Calves one third part of the hogs on my Plantation at my Death one Sorel Mare named Polly one pine Table & six Chairs all of which I lend my said Wife during her natural Life and Widowhood in Liece of her dower and at her Death or Widowhood then to go as hereafter directed.

Item I give to my said Wife one third part of the park and one third part of the crop which shall be on my Plantation at my Death.

Item I give to my Son Joel one hundred acres of land to be laid off on the east side of my plantation whereon I now live to take possession of the same when my said Wife shall die to him and his Heirs forever

Item I give to my Son William and to his Heirs forever the Remainder part of my plantation whereon I now live which will be about three hundred Acres (more or less) to take possession of the same at my Wife's death but should my Wife be alive at the time that my said Son William arrives to the age of twenty One Years, then and at that time I desire my said Son shall take possession of two hundred Acres of the said Plantation and at the Death of my said Wife for my said Son William to take possession of the other one hundred Acres as to make his part about three hundred Acres in all

Item I give to my hereafter named Executor five pounds to be laid out upon the Education of my Grandson Thomas Coleman Winfield as my said Executor may see necessary when he arrives to age sufficient but if he should die before he arrives to such age then I give the said five pounds or what may remain thereof to my said Executor

Item I give to my Daughter Nancy fifty Shillings to be laid out upon her Education

Item I give to my Son William thirty Shillings to be laid out upon his Education

Item I give the use of my Mill to my Sons Joel and William to be used jointly by them during their joint Lives and at the Death of either of them the survivor to take the same to him and his Heirs forever

Item I desire that all the rest & residue of my estate of every kind and sort be sold and after the aforesaid Pecuniary or money Legacies are paid or provided to be paid I desire that all the money arising

from such Sale and also all Money which may be due me
at my death shall be equally divided amongst my Children
that may be living at my death to them & their Heirs forever
I desire that the Negroes Zeller the bed the Clock & the
furniture which I have lent the use of to my Wife during her natural
Life or Widowhood may be sold at the death or marriage of my said
Wife and the Money arising from such Sale to be equally divided
amongst my Children that may be alive at the death of my said Wife
Lastly I do hereby nominate constitute and appoint my friend
and attitud Son in Law Francis Jackson my whole Sole Executor
of this my last Will & Testament hereby Revoaking and making
Void all former and other Wills by me made and declaring this
to be my last Will & Testament In Witnes whereof I have
hereunto set my hand and affixed my Seal this 15th day of December
Anno Domini one Thousand Seven hundred and eighty seven
Signed Sealed and Acknowledged
by the Testator as his last Will and
Testament in our presence who at
his request & in his presence subscribed
our Names as Witnesses thereto

John Eckley & Co

Teste.

Robert Jackson, John Crews
Gilliam Jackson

A Court held for Sussex County the 20th day of March 1888
The last Will and Testament of John Eckley deceased was exhibited into Court
by Francis Jackson the Executor therein was proved by the Oaths
of Robert Jackson, John Crews and Gilliam Jackson the
Witnesses thereto by the Court ordered to be Recorded and on the
Motion of said Cor who gave Bond with William Jackson his
Security entered into Bond in the Penalty of £4000 conditioned
as the Law directs Certificate is granted him for obtaining a
probate thereof in due form Teste Michl Bailey Clerk

Exam.

J. Collier's
Will

In the name of God amen I Jamies Collier of the Parish of Allbarnale and County of Sussex do make and bear in witness this my last Will and Testament in manner following
(to wit) I Impres my Will and desire is that all my Just debts be paid and my Body decently buried at the Discretion of my Executors —
Item I give and devise to my beloved Wife Sarah my Negroes George, Dilcey, Dolly, and Enock also two horses choice of my stock likewise one half of my stock of Cattle, Hogs & Sheep and one half of my Household & Kitchen Furniture I also give my said Wife my Negroes Sam & Grace to her & her heirs forever —
Item I give and devise to my Son Benjamin Collier all my land that lies on the West side of the branch Between my cleared Ground and the Widow Forsyth also my Negroes, John & Lucky, also one half of my stock of Cattle Hogs & Sheep and residue of my stock of Horses likewise one half of my Plantation Utensils and the one half of my household & Kitchen Furniture to him & his heirs forever —
Item I give & devise to my Daughter Ann Bines two Negroes namely Eddy which she now has in possession and Anthony to her & her heirs and assigns forever —
Item I give and devise to my Daughter Elizabeth Roe two Negroes namely Lucy & Silas to her & her heirs forever —
Item I give and devise to my Daughter Rebecca Pearce my Negroes Dick, Isabella, and Alice to her and her heirs forever —
Item I give & devise to my Daughter Polly Washington Collier my Negroes Sally, Judy, & Solomon to her & her heirs forever —
Item I give and devise to my Son John Collier the plantation whereon I now live with all the Land thereunto belonging (except

that I have already devised to my Son Benjamin also my Negroes
 Bob & Nell to him this I do forever
 Now my Will & desire is that all my Estate that is not already devised
 be sold and the Money arising from the Sale thereof after paying
 my Debts may be equally divided Between Minny, Sally, Betsey
 and Walter Gilliam and each of my own Children, except
 four chests one of which I desire that each the following
 Children may take out before sale is made of my Estate To Wit
 One to Benjamin, one to Betsey Gilliam, one to Sally
 Gilliam and the other to Walter Gilliam
 And Lastly I do nominate and appoint my beloved Wife
 Sarah, Wm. Lee Stoney, John Reece, Son Benjamin & John
 executors of this my last Will & Testament and desire
 that my Estate may not be appraised In Witness whereof I
 have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Seal this 21st day of
 Jan'y 1788, One Thousand Seven hundred and eighty
 Eight

Exam.

Signed, Sealed Published and
 declared to be the last Will and
 Testament of the within named
 James Collier In presence of
 us who at his request Saw his pre-
 sence Attested the same

James Jones Waddell Johnson

Palam^{mark} & Kitchings

James Collier

At a court held for Dupre County the 20 day of March 1788
 The last will & Testament of James Collier deceased was exhibited in court by
 Sarah Collier the Executrix and John Mason the Executor therein named
 was proved by the Oaths of the Subscribing Witnesses and by the Court decreed
 to be recorded and on Motion of the said Executrix & Executor who gave bond
 with Wm. Loftin and John Reece their Sureties a Certificate is granted
 them for obtaining a probate thereof in due form

1st Wm. Bailey Clerk

Joseph Wren
Will -

In the name of God Amen I Joseph Wren of the Parish of
Alberrmarle and County of Sussex being of Perfect sound disposing
mind and memory do make this my Last Will & Testament
in manner and form as followeth -

I give to my loving Son Elias Wren five Shillings
Current Money -

I give to my Son Henry Wren five Shillings
Current Money -

I give to my Daughter Sarah Wren all the remainder
of my Estate what nature or kind soever to her and her
Heirs forever and lastly I do hereby constitute appoint
Amos Adams Executor and my Daughter Sarah Wren
Co-executor my whole sole Executors of this my Last Will &
Testament revoking all other Wills by me heretofore made
In Witness Whereof I have hereunto sett my Hand and
Seal this 18th Day of December 1786.

Published & declared

In the presence of us }

Joseph Wren, Test

Amos Adams, Nathl. Clanton,

At a Court held for Sussex County the 25th Day of April 1788
The last Will and Testament of Joseph Wren dec^d was exhibited
into Court by Amos Adams one of the Executors therein named proved by the
Oaths of Person Williamson one of the Witnesses thereto & ordered
to be Recorded. And on motion of said Executor who made oath
thereto according to Law and with Thomas Whitfield & John
Greenman his Securities entered into & acknowledged their

Exam.

Bond in the penalty of five hundred pounds Conditioned as
the Law directs Certificate is granted him for obtaining
aprobat hereof in due form.

Test Michael Bailey C. Cluz

An Inventory and appraisement of the Estate of Reuben Child
rec^d taken this 7th Day of December 1787. L S D

4 Barrels of Corn 2 1/2	2 8
Apparel of Toddor 12 1/2. 1 Mare 2 3	8 12
4 Sheep 20. 12 Barrels of 4 gums 34	2 14
6 Piggins and 2 Cans 15. 2 Iron Cotts 6	1 1
Apparel of Lumber 1/3 Apparel of Tools 36	1 17
1 Spice mortar 10. 4 Suggs, 1 Butter 24, 4 Butter 5	1 5
1 Pair Money Scales 10. 1 pair Stillards 10	1
Upon knives & 3 Cambs 3. 2 Pair Sheep Shears 1/3	4 3
1 Curry Comb 2 1/2. 1 Slate 2. Apparel of Books 20	1 4 6
Apparel of Lard Leather 6. 1 Turned Wax wheel 3	9
1 Tea Kettle 8. 3 Chairs 2 Chests & 1 Table 30	1 13
1 Mans Saddle & Bridle 6. 1 Gun 3 wood Bayonet 20	1 6
3 Reap Hooks 3. 2 Leather Beas 7	7 3
Apparel of Lumber 22 1/2 Apparel of powder	2 12 6
Knives & Tools 30	
Apparel of Axes, Axes & Iron hoops	15
Apparel of Timber for Luts pales &c	10
1 Sythe 1/3 - 11 Poultry 7 1/2	8 3
2 Cows & Yearlings	6
1 Pair of Spectacles	3

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The above Inventory and appraisement
taken by the subscribers

Reuben Child Esq

The Mason
Merrick Ames } appraisers
James Banks }

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At a Court held for Sussex County the 10th day of March 1788
This Inventory and appraisement of the Estate of Robert Baird
dec^d was Returned into Court and Read to be Recorded.

Teste Michael Bailey C. Clk

James Dix
his Wife

In the name of God amen I James Dix of Sussex County being
of sound mind and memory do dispose of my Real Estate as follows
I Give and bequeath unto my Daughter Lucy Ann five
Millings.

I Give and bequeath to my Daughter Panny Dix one feather
Bed and furniture two Cows and Calves and two hifers four
Head Sheep & Spinning Wheel and 100 Cotton Cards -

I Give and bequeath to my Daughter Phoebe Dix one feather
Bed and furniture two Cows Calves and two hifers four Head of
Sheep one Spinning Wheel and one 100 Cotton Cards -

I desire that all my Just Debts be paid and for my Wife's
Elements, to have the use of all the Remainder of my Estate
during the Life of my said Wife and after her decease I give the
whole both Lands and Personal Estate to my son Clement Dix
and his heirs forever also my desire is that my Estate should
not be appraised nor Inventoried I likewise appoint my Brother
Robert Dix and son Clement Dix Executors of this my last
Will and Testament Given under my Hand and Seal this

16th August 1787.

Signified & published & recorded to be
the Last Will & Testament of the above
named James Dix

James Dix

John Camlin, Nicholas Linnard,
Charles Camlin

At a Court held for Suffolk County the 11th Day of April 1788
 The Last Will and Testament of James Vassall deceased was exhibited
 into Court by Clements Vassall one of the Executors therein named
 proved by the affirmation of Charles Hamilton and John Hamilton
 two of the Witnesses thereto and ordered to be Recorded And on
 motion of the said Executor who made affidavit according
 to Law & with Charles Hamilton and John Hamilton his Securities
 entered into & acknowledged their Bond in the penalty of two
 thousand pounds conditioned as the Law directs Certificate
 is granted him for obtaining a probat thereof in due form
 Teste Michael Smith C. C.

Elizabeth
 Willie's
 Will

In the name of God amen. I Elizabeth Willie of the Parish of St. James
 and County Suffolk being in a rational and sound mind and disposing memory thanks be to almighty God for the
 same do make & declare this my Last Will and Testament First and
 principally I recommend my Soul to God who gave it and my Body to
 the Earth to be buried at the discretion of my Executors here after
 named —
 First. I Give and bequeath unto my Grand Nephew Willie Jones
 (son of Hamilton Jones) all my Silver plate a Gold Watch & other
 Books I am possessed with at my Death unto him and his heirs
 forever. But if my said Nephew Willie Jones should die before he arrives
 to the years of Twenty one or marriage then its my desire that Conster
 Jones his Brother shall enjoy the above Legacy to him this I desire
 forever and its also my desire that my Executor shall keep the
 above Legacy in his possession till they arrive to the years of

twenty one or Marriage and my Executor shall not be answerable
for any accidents or misfortunes that may happen to the said
Legacy. But should both my Grand Nephews Willie & Walter
dies without issue then its my desire that my Nephew
William Willie should enjoy the above Legacy & his heirs &
his heirs forever.

Also. I Give and bequeath unto my two Nieces Mary & Sarah
Daughters of my Sister Pinkins of Mary land all my
Wearing apparel of what kind soever unto them their heirs
forever and to be sent to them by my Executor after my
decease.

Lastly. I do nominate constitute and appoint Hugh
Polsches my whole and Sole Executor of this my Last Will
and Testament and desire that no part of my Estate be
appraised In witness whereof I have hereunto set my
Hand and Seal this second Day of June. One thousand seven
hundred and Eighty two.

Signea Sealed published &
declared this to be my Last Will
and Testament in presence of

Elizabeth Willie (Seal)

Henry Garrison

His
Joseph X Debbles
mark

At a Court held for Chester County the 17th day of April 1788
The Last Will & Testament of Elizabeth Willie dec^d was exhibited into
Court by Hugh Polsches the Executor therein named proved by the
Oath of Henry Garrison attesting thereto and ordered to be Recorded
and on Motion of the said Executor who made Oath thereto -

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Est. Michael Aubrey C. C.

In the Name of God amen, I, Milley Mitchell of Albemarle
Parish and County of Sussex being of perfect mind ^{and memory} and sensible of the
unsustainability of this life do make and ordain this my last Will and
Testament in manner following. Viz.

Milley Mitchell's Will. I purport my will and desire is that all my Just debts and funeral
Expenses be first paid. Then I Give and devise to my Sister Susanah
Packell my two Negroes Mingo & Kate to her and her heirs for ever.
Then I Give and devise to my friend Winfield Mason all my estate
both real and personal not before given away to him and his heirs
for ever. Then I constitute and appoint my Friend Thomas Butler to
be my whole & sole Exec^r of this my last will & Testament and
desire that my estate may not be appraised. In Witness whereof I
have hereunto set my hand this 6th day of January 1780.

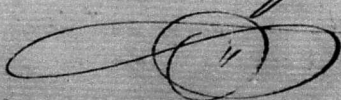
Signed, sealed, published & declared
by the above named Milley Mitchell
as for her last Will & Testament
in presence of the Under Written persons
who in her presence and at her request
Subscribed our selves Hereto as Witnesses

her
Milley Mitchell 
Mark.

Thos Butler Sw.
Barnard Wilkinson
Betsy Wilkinson
Susanah Mitchell &
Mark.

Exam. At a Court held for Sussex County the 19th day of June 1788.
The last Will and Testament of Milley Mitchell was exhibited into
Court by the Thomas Butler Sw. the executor therein named was proved
by the Oath of Susanah Mitchell one of the Witnesses thereto and Ordered
to be Recorded. And on motion of said Executor who made oath
thereto according to Law and with John Mitchell and John Harwell
his Securities entered into and acknowledged their Bond in the penalty
of five hundred pounds conditioned as the Law directs. Certificate
is granted him for obtaining a probat thereof in due form.

Teste

Mitchell Bailey. C. Cur.


George
Long
Will.

In the name of God amen This the fourth day of August one thousand
seven hundred and eighty six, I George Long Senr. of Sussex County and
Parish of Colburnville, Being weak & Sick in body but of perfect mind and
memory, Thanks be to almighty God for the same do make and ordain
George Long's Will. } my last Will and Testament, in manner and form following.

To Wit: First I Give my soul to almighty God who gave it me in hopes of
a Joyful resurrection and as to my worldly Goods when with it hath pleased
God to bless me with I Give and bestow in manner and form following

Item I Give and bequeath unto my ^{loving} son Charles Long all my
Black Smiths Tools to him and his heirs forever

Item I Give and bequeath unto my son Lazarus Long one Bed & Furniture
half a dozen Pewter Plates, half a dozen Chairs, my Great Bible
and one Colt and all the Cattle and Sheep that I have possessed him with
in my life time to him and his heirs forever

Item I Give and bequeath unto my loving Grandson Cyclus Long the
Goat which my mare now goes with and one Cow & the increase which
is now called his to him and his heirs forever

Imprimis I Lend the use of all my moveable property not hitherto
given — unto my loving Wife Sarah Long during her natural
Life or Widowhood, and after her decease the said moveable property
to be sold and equally divided Between my loving children

namely, George Long, Charles Long, Lazarus Long, Rebecca
Adams and my Grandson Cyclus Long. I also further Lend unto
my loving wife the use of the Land and Plantation wherein I now
live during her natural Life or widowhood and after marriage
or decease, I Give the said Land by estimation Two hundred Acres
more or less unto my loving son Lazarus Long with all my
Carpenters and Plantation Tools thereto Belonging to him his
heirs and assigns forever

Item I Give the use of the Plantation wherein my loving Son George
Long lives, during his & his wifes Life to them and after their decease
I Give the said Land to my Grandson Edwin Long son of George
Long and Amey his wife, to him and his heirs forever

Item I Give unto my loving Children namely Hannah Sammons,
Mary Solomon, Martha Mosely, Guley Underwood, & Edith
Lockett five Shillings each to them and their heirs forever

Lastly my will and desire is that my loving wife Sarah Long and
my beloved son Charles Long collect all the debts due me and pay
all Just demands that comes against my estate and the discharge
of Cash I desire my wife and family may have the use of
and