

The Estate of David Burns deceased in account

To Commission at 5 percent on \$282.05 the amount
of the estate with interest for collecting the
same.

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To balance due.

267 95

282 05

Pursuant to an order of the ^{County} Court of Washington in
the estate of David Burns decd. and do find them as
amounting to \$267.95. Given under our hands

In the Name of God Amen. I James Hope of Washing-
ton County & State of Virginia, being in a low state of
health but of sound mind & memory Blesed be the giver of
every mercy, calling to mind the mortality of the Body and
that it is appointed for all men once to die. I do recommend
my soul to God who gave it & my body to the dust to be
buried after my decease in a decent Christian manner at
the discretion of my Executors. And for what worldly estate
goods & chattles it has pleased God to bless me with in
this life I do order allow & bequeath them in the following
manner viz. first I order & allow all my just debts to be
paid

I leave and bequeath to my beloved Wife Margaret, full &
free rite & possession of the Plantation on which I now live
with all its appurtenances, all the farming utensils, Waggon
and every thing within the house & belonging thereto, except
such goods as will be hereafter disposed of all the slaves with
their increase except Jack ^{five} ~~four~~ horse creatures namely Bon
& Snip with their spring colts & Lin all the sheep, all the hogs
& all the cattle except five head of the third rate, & others
that will be hereafter disposed of the above mentioned pro-
perty with the increase of the forementioned sheep, hogs &
cattle. all for the term of five years for her use for the
purpose of raising and schooling the children. I further
leave & bequeath to my beloved