

324. Provided she doth not again marry If she does, my will & desire is that my Daughter Mary Gibbons shall have the one half of my Estate immediately paid to her for the use of her & her heirs and my desire is that my said wife may in no wife be accountable to the Court for my Estate or give any security for the same so long as she remain & unmarried. In Witness whereof I hereunto set my hand and fix my seal this fifteenth day of May in the Year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred forty & two.

Signed sealed & acknowledged
by the said John Buttenworth
to be his last will & Testament
in the presence of

John Buttenworth. *J. B.*

R. Hurst
Wm. H. Harwood
John Goldsmith

At a Court held for York County Nov^r the 19th 1744.
This last will & Testament of John Buttenworth du^c was this day put into Court by the Ex^{rs} therein named who made oath to it and being proved by the oath of the witnesses thereto it was ordered to be recorded and that a certificate be granted the said Ex^{rs} for obtaining a Probate due thereon.

Test
Matt Hubbard Cl^{rk}

In the Name of God Amen I Daniel Lamb of Charles County in the County of York planter being sick & weak of body but of perfect Memory Thanks be to Almighty God for the same Do make & ordain this my last will & Testament in manner & form following First of all I recommend my Soul to the hands of Almighty God who gave it Hoping thro' the Merits of my blessed Saviour & Redeemer Jesus Christ to receive perfect Pardon and forgiveness of the manifold sins and Transgressions that I have committed And my body to the Earth from whence it came to be Interred according to the Direction of my Ex^{rs} hereafter mentioned And as to what worldly Estate which the Lord of this Transient County hath been pleased to bestow upon me I give and bequeath as followeth I Give unto my loving wife Abigail Lamb the Use & Fruition of my whole Estate during this Natural Life for her support and Maintenance And I Give & bequeath unto my loving Son John Lamb the Negro boy called Joe which he hath now in possession And after my former Decease I Give my said son John a Negro Girl called Sarah to him & his heirs forever And I Give & bequeath unto my loving Son William Lamb after my former Decease two Negroes Namely my Negro Man Bristol and a Negro Girl Phillis to him and his heirs forever And I Give & bequeath unto my loving Daughter Anne Lamb after my former Decease two Negroes Namely Elther & Jimmy to her & her heirs forever And I Give & bequeath unto my loving Daughter Elizabeth Lamb after my former Decease two Negroes Namely Ambrough & his wife Hannah.

To her & her heirs for ever I give & bequeath unto my loving son Daniel Lamb after my wives Decease three Negroes Namely Will, Lucy & Jone to him and his heirs for ever I give & bequeath unto my Nephew Anthony Lamb Son of Anthonys Lamb Decease the Sum of six pounds one Shilling & three pence to be paid him when he arrives of Twenty one And further my Will is that after my Wives Decease that all the residue of my Estate not heretofore particularly disposed of be equally divided amongst my aforesaid Children share & share alike And I do hereby nominate & constitute & appoint my two sons John Lamb & W^m Lamb joint Executors of this my last Will & Testament In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand & affixed my seal this 27th of June 1744.

Signed Sealed published & declared
in the presence of

his
Daniel & Lamb. Esq.
made

Thos. Roberts
John Hunt
John Barnes

A Court held for York County Nov^r 19th 1744.

This last Will & Testament of Daniel Lamb dec^d was this day bro^t into Court by the Executors therein named who made Oath to it And being proved by the Oath of Thomas Roberts & John Hunt two of the witnesses thereto It was ordered to be recorded.

Test
Matt Hubbard Esq.

A Court held for York County Nov^r the 26th 1744 For
laying the County Levy.

Present

Francis Howard

John Ballard

Daniel Moore

John Goodwin

By Nath^l. Bacon Barrister at Law

York County

Dⁿ

to w^t To

To Thomas Nelson (Judge) & family	414
To Benjamin Wallen, Kings Ally	1650
To the Clerk of this Court	1844
To Math ^w Moody	858
To Joseph Davenport	360
To W ^m Mose	873
To Capt ^m John Ballard	165
To the Sheriff for & Officers Services	1124
Carried over	7288

Brs. over

7288

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613

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261

396

To Maj. John Brinkman for the Bridge over the creek
 To Minor 10 ill for her care of the Court house
 To Wm. Harwood / Goals /
 To John Glaze / Const in Bruton parish /
 To Wm. Powell / Const for 1743 & 1744 /
 To James Towner / Const /
 To Wm. Harwood / Const for 1743 & 1744 /
 To Philip Dunsford for D.
 To Patrick Matthews / Const /
 To James Lavis / Goals at Wm. Harwood /
 To John Tinsley
 To John Tinsley
 To James Towner / Const for 1743
 To Capt. John Ballard
 To Wm. Harwood
 To James Byrd
 To Wm. Harwood
 To Henry Tyler
 To John Wynn
 To Thos. Mountfort

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By the public proportions, lying in Warwick County and w.
 Mr. Wm. Nelson junr. promises to each? Over notes for.

By a Deposit in the Sheriff's hands the last Year

To the Sheriff, 6 ft. C. for Collecting 7755 L. Tol.

By 1953 Tithes at 4 1/4 pdr Tol. ft poll

a Deposit in the Sheriff's hands 80

a Deposit in the Sheriff's hands the last Year £37. 1. 6 1/2

Out of w. the above Money Debts are to be paid

£32. 16. 7 3/4

Ordered. That the Sheriff Collect of every Tithable person in this County
 4 1/4 pdr Tol. for defraying the Contingent charges.

Wm. Nelson junr.
 Truly Yours

Test. Nath. Hubbard Clerk.

Bro Cup

9 Draught hogs & mares 540 10. Waggon & harness for 5 hogs £20
Tumbrel & harness 1 Colt 30/-
The Quarters
21 Young hogs is about 1100 16/- ff 100
4 Sows & 9 pigs 30/- 8 Shroats 12/- 14 Cows 3 Calves £14.
3 young Steers £3.15. 1 Bull 15/- 9 Yearlings 36/-
1 Negro Man Will 30/- 1 Negro woman Henry & Child Judith £45.
about 23 bar 1/2 Corn at 6/6

£225.7.
60.10.
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Elizabeth Tappley
Edward Ripping Tappley

£407.8.6

We the Subscribers being first sworn did appraise the foregoing Estate amounting
four hundred & seven pounds eight shillings & six pence.

Thomas Hensby
Peter Scott
Mark Lish
Jos. Davenport
Henry Tyles

At a Court held for York County
July 18th 1744.

This Inventory & appraisment of the Estate of Mary
Ripping dec^d was this day ret^d to Court and ordered to be recorded.

Test. Math. Hubbard Clerk

In obedience to an order of the worshipfull Courts of York County we the
Subscribers have appraised the Estate of Daniel Lamb dec^d and made
return as follows.

To parcel of books 20/- To parcel wicker chairs & Table 29/3
To a Case of bottles & Trunk 5 Chests & window glasses
To ap^d Money Scales & Stilliards
To 5 Beds & furniture, Bed Tick & bolsters
To 57 1/2 lb powder & sundry Lanthorn Baskets
To a Case of Knives & forks Gun & sword
To two Irons & heaters two Spades & 6 hoes
To 4 Wedges 4 Axes 2 Saws & sundry Tools
To 1 Saddle & bridle & parcel of leather
To 25 lb feathers 16 yds lark & hand mill
To a spinning wheel & 8 bushels of salt 29/- To a spring pan 2 spits Skillet
& spits 12/- To pot Iron, spit hooks & Saucers 32/-
To a Cart & wheels Yorks of deer & appurten
To 20 head of Cattle 26 £ 5 Yearlings £2.10. 30 head of sheep 9 £
To 20 head of hogs 7 £ To a horse, man & Colt £4.15
To 54 head of Swine for £18.10 To a Negro called Britton 35 £
To a Negro called Lumbrough 30 To a Negro called Wile 30

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Henry D. West

£207.6.9

Paid over
 To a Negro wench & Childs 30[£] To a Negro wench 25[£]
 To 3 Negro Children 45[£] To 1734 to Feb. 11. 2. 9.
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 74.29
 Peter Goodwin
 Merrit Moore
 Bennet Thompsons.

A Court held for York County July 18th 1744.
 This Inventory & appraisment of the Estate of Daniel Lambden was
 this day read to Court and ordered to be recorded.
 Grand Just Math. Hubbard Clerk

A Court held for York County March the 5th 1744. for the
 Trial of Pompey & Gaby two Negro Slaves belonging to Edw.
 Digges.

Present. Edw.^d Smith Don^d Moore &
 W^m. Nelson Just. John Goodwin Gent.
 The Commission being read as usual Don^d Moore & John Goodwin Gent. advised
 the Oaths appointed by Act of Parliament to be taken instead of the Oaths of
 Allegiance & Supremacy, the Oath appointed to be taken by an Act of
 Parliament made in the first Year of the Reign of his late Majesty King George
 the first entitled an Act for the further Security of his Majesty's person and
 Government and the Succession of the Crown in the heirs of the late princess
 Sophia being protestant and for extinguishing the hopes of the pretended
 Prince of Wales and his open & secret abettors As also the Test together with
 the Oath for duly executing the Office of a Commissioner of Oaths & Translators
 unto Edw.^d Smith and the then Justs the Justs to W^m. Nelson Just. and the
 said Don^d Moore & John Goodwin and they all took their places on the Bench

Whereas Gaby & Pompey two Negro men Slaves belonging to
 Edward Digges Gent were committed to the Goal of this County on suspicion of
 Feloniously breaking open the Desk of their Mistress and stealing a considerable
 Sum of Money: The said Pompey was hrd to the Bar and publicly arraigned
 and upon his Arraignment plead Not Guilty, thereupon the Court proceeded
 to examine the Witnesses on behalf of our Sovereign Lord the King against
 him and on Consideration thereof it is the Opinion of the Court that the said
 Pompey is Guilty of breaking open the Desk afores^d and stealing Twenty shill^{ing}