

Assessments for the year 1786

Assessed for, which has been paid, 23

	1786	1787	1788	1789	1790	1791	1792
Richmond	72121	206	231	617	1	1	2
Arch	16681	139	162	18	1	1	1
Miller	39265	189	112	1	1	1	1
Granville	61681	197	80	1	1	1	1
Cornwall	19265	289	3	1	1	1	1
James	55812	109	99	3	1	1	1
J.D. Smith	54204	176	188	1	1	1	1
Total amt.	432139	1418	1041	177	10	10	10

January Court 1787

The Estate of Stephen Hamilton

Stephen Hamilton Administrator

1785	Col. Hamilton's & Mendance to Cornwall	65	10	3	4
July	to Cornwall	3	4		
April	to Cornwall	3	4		
July	to Cornwall	2	0		
October	to Cornwall	2			
1786	to Cornwall	2			
January	to Cornwall	1	1		
August	Mending Vale the Estate 3 80	1	1		
October	to Cornwall	2			
1787	to Cornwall	2			

Prove Corrected by *Stephen Hamilton*

sworn to in Open Court
John R. Thompson

January Court 1787

In the Name of God Amen This first day of September Eighty
 six J. J. Harris of the County of Cornwall and State of North
 Carolina being Sick and Weak but of perfect and sound Mind
 Memory do make and Ordain this my last Will and Testament
 in manner and form following. First and foremost I
 commend my Soul to God who gave it. Hoping to receive
 Pardon for my sins. Through the Merits of Mediation
 of my Saviour Jesus Christ and my body to the Earth to be
 decently Buried At the Discretion of my Executors Hereafter
 mentioned. Item I Give and bequeath to my Daughter
 Nancy Allotment the sum of five Shillings only
 they having already received their part of my Estate
 Item I Give and bequeath to my Daughter Francis Dabney
 wife to Cornelius Dabney the sum of Five Shillings Only
 they having already received their part of my Estate
 Item I Give to my son John Harris all the Lands that I possess
 in the County of Cornwall Soon Hundred Acres more or less
 to him and his Heirs forever. Item I Give to my two sons
 Simpson Harris & Robert Harris one Part of Land in the
 County of Rockingham containing five Hundred and
 fifty Acres more or less to be Equally divided between them
 the North and east side of the Creek, Little Trunk
 to my son Robert and the South and West side of said Creek
 to my son Simpson and also I Give to my son Robert
 one Hundred Pounds in cash to him and his Heirs forever
 Item I Give to my son Christopher Harris one Part of Land
 on High Rock Creek, in the County of Rockingham containing
 five Hundred & Fifty Acres, to him and his Heirs forever, which
 Land is to be sold to the highest bidder, at Two years next
 after the Money paid to him as the Executors may think
 to my said Son Christopher Advantage

(163)
January Court 1787.

Hem, I give to my Daughter Eda Harris one Negro named
Bibba to her and her Heirs forever. Item, I give to my
Daughter Liddy one negro Diddy to her and her Heirs
forever. Item I give to my Grandson William Chapman
the sum of Sixteen Pounds it being the full Value of
Two Hundred and Twenty five Paper Dollars which was
all that I received by the Death of my Mother.
Item my Will and Desire is that after the Payment of all
my Cash Debts and Legacies before mentioned that my
whole Estate be equally Divided amongst my four
Sons and Two youngest Daughters, Except ^{my} son Isaac
Harris he is not to receive no Part of my House hold
Furniture nor Stock of Horses he already have received
his full Part of Both, and my Desire is that my Children
to be hereafter named have the sole Management and
Direction of my Two Youngest Daughters, and third
Estate untill they arrive of Age or is Married.
And Lastly I nominate constitute and Appoint my
Widow Isaac Harris and Simpson Harris and my son
in law Cornelius DeWay to be Executors to this my Last
Will and Testament In Witness whereof I have hereunto
set my hand and seal the day and year above Written
Witness my hand
Isaac Harris
Simpson Harris
Cornelius DeWay

January Court 1787

The Execution of this Will was duly
proceed in Court by John Lewis and J. P. Altham &
Ordered to be recorded

Witness
J. P. Altham

(164)
January Court 1787.

In the Name of God Amen Twenty fourth day of
February 1786. I John Richmond Lord of the County of Lancaster
and State of North Carolina Planter being sick and very weak
of Body but in perfect mind and Memory Thankful and God
therefore leading unto mind the mortality of my body
and knowing that it is appointed for all men Once to die
to make and Ordain this my Last Will and Testament and
Bequeath that is to say Principally and first of all I give
and Recommend my Soul unto the hands of Almighty God
that gave it and my body I recommend to the Earth to be
Buried in a Christian Burial at the Discretion of my Executors
Notwithstanding but at the General Resurrection I shall
receive the same again by the Mighty Power of God and
as Burying such Worldly Estate as has pleased God to
bless me with in this life; I give and Dispose of in the
following manner and form, I Imprese, Give and
Bequeath to my Beloved wife Rachael my Plantation
Land and Stock, availing her Widowhood or till my death
comes of Age, Then her Third Dowering life of the
Money Charge as her sole Disposal at her Death.
I likewise Give and Bequeath to my Wife Rachael all
my Moveables and House hold Furniture, whom I also
constitute and Ordain my whole and sole Executrix of
this my Last Will and Testament, all and singular my
Estate freely by her to be disposed and engaged and sold
hereby. Item I give to my beloved son Joshua my
Plantation and Land on the Cash and the Lands when of
age of my wife Marys in case either of my above
mentioned sons dies his Lands shall fall to the next
surviving Heir, if all my youngest Children dies
my Wife shall be sole Heir of all the Land, I give to my
Beloved son Joseph all my Land on the North end of the
Land in Monroe & from above mentioned the Ridge Road
from the North end to the Ridge Road

July Court 1789.

Dⁿ Tye Harris Jan^r in Account with the

1787 To Paid Thomas Hayes & Vouchers N ^o 12. 4		
To Paid George Foster Sen ^r	2	5. 2
To Paid Melon Stacy	3	4. "
To Paid William Smith	4	3. "
To Paid Moses Aldham	5	9. 1 "
To Paid John Popham	6	2. 2 "
To Paid Mary Simpson	7	3. 8 "
To Paid Ephraim Ben Lee Sen ^r	8	12. "
To Paid John Dugan	9	13. 13 "
To Paid Mary Simpson	10	4. "
To Paid John Buchanan	11	4. "
To Paid Lovelace Johnson	12	9. 7. 6
To Paid Tye Carter	13	8. 3. 4
To Paid Mary Robertson	14	1. 2. "
To Paid Ben. Shivers	15	4. 10. "
To Paid Ephraim Ben Lee	16	5. "
To Paid Cornelius Dabney	17	23. 6. 8
To Paid John Jones	18	2. 1. 1
To Paid Ephraim Ben Lee Sen ^r	19	2. 3. 1/2
To Paid Mary Jones	20	3. 6. 8
To Paid Peter O'Neil	21	5. 11. "
To Paid William Ben Lee	22	4. 16. 8
To Paid Richard Johnson	23	12. "
To Tye Harris Jan ^r Account for	24	12. 13. 6

1788 To Paid Thomas Hayes & Vouchers N^o 12. 4

1789 To Paid Thomas Hayes & Vouchers N^o 12. 4

Balance due Tye Harris Jan^r 287. 7. 2 1/2

137. 0. 0 1/2

July Court 1789.

Estate of Tye Harris Dec^r

By Amount of late Tye Harris 1787	287. 1. 3. "
By 5013 to Tye Harris 1787	120. 6. 2 1/2
By 1033 to Tye Harris 1787	13. 15. 5. "
By 994 to Tye Harris 1787	14. 18. 2 1/2
By 924 to Tye Harris 1787	13. 17. 2
By Boarding Richard Harris 2 Months 1787	3. "
10 days at	3. "
	137. 0. 0 1/2

By Balance due Tye Harris Jan^r

June 27th 1789.

In Obidians to an Order of the Hon^{ble} Court of Canada, we John Poston John Pica & James Williamson have proceeded to settle the accounts of Tye Harris Jan^r as presented to Tye Harris Jan^r and find them stand as above a Balance due Tye Harris Jan^r Two Hundred and Eighty seven Pounds Seven Shillings & two Pence and farthings as Witness Our hands

John Poston
John Pica
James Williamson

The above account was duly returned to Court by John Pica and on Motion Ordered to be recorded.

Tye Harris

January Court 1790

Edith Harris Orphan of Tye Harris Dec^d Jr.
 To the Amount of your Account Allowed me
 by the Men Appointed to Adjust, Vellie the same } 69 17 2
 To Sanders of Wilson " 1 12 "
 To Balance due to Edith Harris
 from Cornelius Dabney " 51 1 10

122 11 "

Sydia Harris Orphan of Tye Harris Dec^d Jr.
 To the Amount of your Account Allowed
 me by men Appointed to Adjust, Vellie the same } 89 17 9
 To Sanders of John Wilson " 1 12 "
 To Sanders of J. Carter " 10 6 10
 Balance due to Sydia Harris from }
 Cornelius Dabney " 18 16 11

120 13 6

Christopher Harris Orphan of Tye Harris Dec^d
 To the Amount of your Account as above } 22 15 10
 To Sanders of John Carter " 1 7 6
 To Shoes of Blanket 20 " 1 6 "
 Balance due Christo Harris
 from Cornelius Dabney } 66 9 8

94 19 "

State of North Carolina Currituck County 28th Jan^y 1790
 We the Subscribers being this day appointed
 by the Court now sitting to Audit and settle the above account
 and having given all due Attention to the Accounts and Papers
 to us Exhibited and having Considered the Objections made thereto
 by Tye Harris in behalf of the wife or Named Orphan
 as found a Balance due from the within Named
 Cornelius Dabney to the said Orphan Edith Harris of

January Court 1790

in Account with Cornelius Dabney Contra
 1788. By the heirs of Frank Hite " 25 10 "
 By the heirs of Isaac " 11 " "
 By the heirs of Minnie " 7 " "
 By the heirs of Frank Hite " 25 " "
 By the heirs of Minnie 1788 " 25 " "
 By the heirs of Isaac 1800 50
 By the heirs of Tabb 700 50
 By the heirs of Tab for 1783 2800 30/

42 "

8 "

122 11 "

Contra

1788. By the heirs of Ben
 By the heirs of John
 By the heirs of Kate
 1789. By the heirs of Ben 1100 750
 By the heirs of John 1725
 By the heirs of Kate 750
 3875 30/

58 2 6

120 13 6

Contra

1788. By the heirs of Hannibal
 By the heirs of Tom
 By the heirs of Lis
 1789. By the heirs of Hannibal 1100 750
 By the heirs of Tom 1000
 By the heirs of Lis 750
 3150 30/

147 5 "

94 19 "

of Fifty One Pounds One Shilling & Ten Pence Current
 Errors & Omissions excepted
 R^d Drash
 Joshua Keffe
 Stephen Moore

January Court 1790

State of North Carolina Caswell County 20th Jan. 1790

We the Subscribers being this day appointed by the Court now sitting to audit and settle the within accounts and having given all due attention to the accounts and papers of, to us Exhibited and having considered the objections made thereto by Two Harpys on behalf of the within named Ephraim do find a balance due from the within named Cornelius Dobney to Lucia Harpys of Eighteen pounds sixteen Shillings & Eleven pence Current, Errors & Comptions Excepted

Thos Doncho
Joshua Coffey
Stephen Moore

State of North Carolina Caswell County 20th Jan. 1790

We the Subscribers being this day appointed by the Court now sitting to audit and settle the within account and having given all due attention to the accounts & papers of to us Exhibited and having considered the objection made thereto by Two Harpys on behalf of the within named Ephraim do find a balance due from the within named Cornelius Dobney to Christopher Harpys of Sixty six pounds nine Shillings and Eight pence. Errors & Comptions Excepted

Thos Doncho
Joshua Coffey
Stephen Moore

This Account was duly settled & returned to Court by Thomas Doncho Joshua Coffey & Stephen Moore Esqrs. persons appointed by the Court for that purpose & ordered to be recorded

Teste
Wm Murphy &c

January Court 1790

This Indenture Witnesseth that John Allison being the County of Caswell and State of North Carolina doth put his son John Allison into Apprenticeship to John Commens of the County and State above mentioned to learn his Art or Mystery of Slay Making and with him after the manner of an apprentice to serve from the day of the date hereof for and during the term of Seven and a half years next ensuing during all which time the said Apprentice his said & Master faithfully shall serve his secret shop and all his Lawfull Commands every one to be done by Others, without letting or giving notice thereof to his said & Master, he shall not waste his Masters Goods nor lend them undauntfully to any, but in all things behave himself as a faithful apprentice in the trade he is bound to be taught, and the said Master shall provide for him sufficient Meat, drink, Apparel Lodging Washing and all other necessaries, during the said term the said & Master is to School him through the five Common Rules & at the end of the said term the said & Master is to give him two Suits of Apparel whereof one is to be new and for the new performance of all and every the said Covenants and Agreements either of the said Parties bindeth himself unto the other firmly by their presents Intending whereof they have Interchangeably set their hands this 10th day of December in the year of our Lord One Thousand Seven Hundred & Eighty nine, A.D. and the said Slay Making Witness, Witness, Witness
John Commens
John Allison
John Allison

The Execution of this Indenture was duly acknowledged in open Court for Motion & Record to be recorded
Teste
Wm Murphy &c

July Court 1790

Martin Morris One Mullock	L	10	
John W. Mullock 1000	"	10	
James Williamson 9 kees	2	10	
Martin Wisner 1 Grind stone	"	5	
Nathaniel Williams to Cooper's Tools	1	12	
Udon Stacy To Green	1	10	
Stephens Rice to One Post	1	10	6
Zephaniah Rice 1 Cane	3	2	
James Williamson 24 Barrels & 4 Bushels of Corn	47	2	9
Simpson Harveys			
To One Shot Gun 86/ 1 Chest 25/	L	6	11
One Desk and book case 11/ 11/ 1 Saddle 16/ 13/ 6			
One Book 12/ 1 Horse Coll. 126/ 15/	27	7	
One Horse	21		
Robert Harveys			
To One Saddle 20/ 1 Hat 10/ 10/ 10/	3	10	
One Dry Coll. 10/ 6/ 1 Cow 5/ 12/	17	12	
4 kees 10/ 2 Grubbin kees 20/	1	10	
1 Mare 12/ 6/ 1 Mare 130/ 1	51		
1 Bed 10/ 1 Saddle Mare 126/ 1	36		
Cornelius Dabney			
To 1 Cow 10/ 10/ 10/ 10/ 10/ 10/ 10/ 10/	36	17	
1 Spine Mower 10/ 1 Cow 10/ 10/ 10/ 10/	8	1	
1 Cow 10/ 10/ 1 Cow 10/ 10/ 10/ 10/	12	18	
To 2 Cows 20/ 1 Bed 10/ 10/ 10/ 10/	9	1	
Anderson Dallas One Moor	56	17	
Nathan Williamson 1 Heifer	4	1	
John Righter two Barlings	5	1	6
John Robertson One Carting	1	10	
John Johnston One Plough	1	10	6
John Johnston One by the 10/ 10/ 10/ 10/	1	10	
Henry Dunlap One Cow	6		
Benjamin Spencer One Bell	3	2	
John Johnston two Barlings	2	10	6
One one Sack	1	0	6
Henry Dunlap One Cow 10/ 10/ 10/ 10/	5	8	6
Udon Stacy One Cow	5	15	
William Robertson one Cow	5	6	
Anthony Smith One Cow 10/ 10/ 10/ 10/	5	10	
One one Cow	1	1	
Nichols Smith One Cow	4	7	
Andrews Vane One Place	1	11	6

July Court 1790

Cornelius Davis One Plough	2	5	
Nathan Williamson	1	11	
Richard Duce two kees	1	0	6
Joseph Rice One Moppan 10/ 10/ 10/ 10/	55		
Cornelius Davis One Plough	1	1	
William Robertson One Bell	6		
Richard Simpson One Saddle 10/ 10/ 10/ 10/	35	10	
Joseph Steele One Saddle	30	2	
Christy Harding One Table	2	1	
Udon Stacy 500 Blads	2	1	
One 500	2	1	6
David Dunlap 500	2	3	
John Dunlap 500	2	10	
Cornelius Davis One Cow	2		
Joseph Rice 10 Hogs	5	10	
Henry Dunlap 1 Horse	7		
Joseph Rice 1 Saddle	3	12	
John Williamson One Bed	2	6	
One Harveys To Bed	11	16	
To 1 Chest	2	12	
To 1 Table Spoon	2	8	6
John Harveys To 1 Bed	15	3	
Sold and returned by us John Harveys			
Cornelius Dabney			
J. Harveys			
This Account of Sale was duly returned to Court by the Clerk of Simpson Harveys One of the Executors of the Estate of the said			
Wm. Harveys			

July Court 1790

I am Harry as Guardian for Ely Harris

To him of my Negroes for the year 1788.

To him of Negroes £25. 8 & 3010

Wm. Harrison 1789.

Dr

55 1

71 11

126 12

56 0

70 11 5

Balanced due Ely Harris 1st July 1790

Ely Harris to Ely Harris Guardian

Dr

To Paid John Harris for Goods 9 9 6

To Paid John Leno 3 19 6

To Paid your Ely Harris Come Other Debts 2 6 4

To Paid (By) Spence 1 14 11

To Paid Richard old selling show 1 6 11

To Paid how Post Cost of Debt 7 9 1

To Paid Robert Harris 13 13 6

To Benjamin Harris 2 2 5

To One year Bond 12 11 11

£ 56 0 7

We the Subscribers being appointed by the Honorable Court of Cassia to audit the Accounts of Ely Harris as Guardian for Ely Harris, and of Ely Harris as Guardian for the first day of February One Thousand Seven Hundred Ninety In Debt to Ely Harris above Balance of Seventy Pounds Eleven Shillings & five Pence

Given under our hands this 19th July 1790

D. Williams

Rich Simpson

John Rude

I Certify Ely Harris made oath the above Accounts as the Stand stated are true to the best of his knowledge as also the Credits before me

Jesse Patton

This account was duly returned to Court by D. Williams Rich Simpson and John Rude Persons appointed for that purpose & ordered to be recorded.

Date

A. Murphy

July Court 1790

Cassia County January Court according to an Order Directed as to Decide the Estate of John Crisp Decd. Amongst his Heirs & Decd. the same as follows

Elizabeth Crisp

Three Negroes Geo. George, and others appraisd to £170.

Three head of Cattle 11

One cow 16

Three Sheep 3

One Red Gurnet 15

Pork 2 11

One Bull 6

One Roman Saddle 6

One Saw 10

One Hand Iron Widge 7 6

To Margaret Crisp

Three Negroes Nat. Born & tall £250

One Horse 28

To John Crisp Two Negroes Sam & Frank 185

7 head of Cattle 30

1 Cow 30

4 Sheep 4

1 Red Gurnet 15

Pork 2 18

5 Old Axes 3 5

2 Gullies Hoes & 1 Station 1 10

1 Dutch Plow 2

6 Old Hoes 1 4

Knives Forks 10

3 Bells 18

1 Cotton Saddle 4 10

6 Chairs 1 4

1 Old Bell 1 10

2 Old Sticks 2 10

1 Old yard 1 4

1 Old girth 1 10

2 Iron Widges 15

A parcel of Negroes 7

To Mary Ann Crisp Two Negroes Dave. Hannah & Lewis 110

3 head of Cattle 15

1 Cow 20

1 Plow 16

1 Smoothing Iron 7 6

1 Red 4

226 7 6

278

295

180 2