

John Waggener

b. 1643 Probably England

d. 12 Feb 1714 or 1715 South Farnham Parish, Essex Co., VA

m. before 1670, **Rachel Ward** (~1653-1718)

We have a pretty good idea of John and Rachel's birthdates because they gave depositions at one point and gave their ages. (see below). From such beginnings, John seems to have prospered. They had several slaves, an indentured boy, and lots of things to leave in their Wills, including a gold ring and silver spoon of Rachel's.

There was also a story that was printed in a Waggener family genealogy that the name was Dutch, etc. That has been pretty well discredited. I suspect that it was English and came from an ancestor having the occupation of driving a wagon, the same as Cooper came from a job title. Maybe not, too.

"Cavaliers and Pioneers, Abstracts of

Virginia Patents and Grants", Nugent, Vol. 2, 1666-1695, pub Virginia State Library, Richmond, VA 1977: p. 116:

"COL. THO. GUTTERIDGE, 4626 acs., Rappa. Co., on S. side sd. River; 4 Oct. 1672, p. 424. 2876 acs. Granted Thomas Goldman, 4 Apr. 1667, & sould to sd. Gutteridge; 550 acs., adj. This & land of Graves; & Mr. Beverley; by Rappa. Indian Path neer the Pocoson; &c; due for trans. of 93 pers: (Note: Others not named.) Rchd. Hall, Robt. Rite, Geo. Flint, Elizabeth Baker, Jno. Wagoner, _____ Morgan & his wife, Robt. Shereman, Wm. Peeters, _____ Marsy, Jno. Collins." [This would indicate that John came directly to Essex County, VA, as an indentured servant. Another researcher found info that John was indentured to a glove-maker.

From "The Waggoner Family- 1670-1970" by Earl Wagner, 1970: John Waggener was born in England and came to America about 1670. In 1674 John Waggener and his wife Rachel Ward, resided in Southfarnham Parish, Essex County, Virginia. John was a planter and was listed in the 1704 Rent Rolls (Tax Rolls) as having paid rent (taxes) on 400 acres of land. A deed dated May 10, 1705 records the sale of 100 acres of land adjacent to the land of John Waggener, being sold to Joseph Humphrey by Richard and Ann Meadows. Another deed, dated May 10, 1707, records the sale of 225 acres of land also adjacent to John Waggener's land, to William Croudus and Robert Moody by Edward and Anne Eastham.

From Tyler's Quarterly Virginia Families, Vol. 2: In Old Rappahannock

Rec. 1663-68, p. 34, John Waggener witnessed a deed from Thomas Goodrich, dated July 7, 1666, and on January 20, 1668/69 (Old Rappahannock Rec. 1668-72, p. 73) he purchased land. (This would seem to indicate they arrived in America at least 4-5 years before 1670.) In 1670, as John Waggener tailor he leased from Richard White and Audrey his wife for 99 years 130 acres the consideration being 2,600 lbs. Tob. and "one valuable pair of gloves to her the said Aubrey in hand paid". with a yearly rent of one capon.

The following 'Deposition For a Family in Virginia' was found in an unindexed volume of the William and Mary Quarterly, in Essex County, Virginia, by a descendant of the Pendleton Family. (This is also mentioned in Tyler's Quarterly Virginia Families, Vol. 2, and seems to be the source of the D.O.B.'s of John and Rachel.) (It was apparently taken from John and Rachel Waggener on August 10, 1708 at the request of a Philip Pendleton. It seems to be in reference to Philip's brother Nathaniel Pendleton, who came to Virginia with his brother Philip in about 1674 and died shortly after arriving. John and Rachel apparently witnessed the funeral of Nathaniel and are reporting that there was no mention at the funeral of Nathaniel having a wife or children.):

Virginia, Sct. John Waggener aged sixty five years of thereabouts of South Farnham Parish in the County of Essex in Virginia planter, being examined and sworn at the request of Philip Pendleton Deposeth and saith: That on or about the year of our Lord One Thousand Six Hundred and seventy foure Came Consigned to Capt Edmund Crask then living in said Parish two reputed Brothers called and known by the name of Nathaniell and Philip Pendleton, and this Depont further saith that the said Nathaniell was a reputed Minister, and soon after his arrivall Sickened & Dyed and also that this Depont was with his wife and Severall other Neighbors at ye Funerall of the Said Nathaniel Pendleton and did hear a Sermon preached at his Funerall, and this Depont further saith that he never heard that the said Nathaniel Pendleton had either wife or Child, and alsoe that the said Philip Pendelton when he had served out his time went for England, & returned again, and is since married & has Severall Children all resident in King & Queen County in Virginia aforesd And further this Depont Saith not. John Waggoner I Richard Buckner Clerk of Essex County Court do hereby Certifie that John Waggoner made oath to the above Despostion in Essex County Court ye 10th day of August 1708 And on the Motion of Philip Pendleton was ordered to be Recorded and is Recorded. Test

Richard Buckner, C. Cur. Rachell Waggoner the now lawful wife of the above named John Waggoner, aged fifty years or thereabouts being examined and Sworn at the request of Philip Pendleton Deposeeth & Saith: The very same word for word with her Said husband in relation to the Death of the above named Nathaniell Pendleton and to the other matters above mentioned and further saith not. Rachell Waggoner I Richard Buckner clerk of Essex county court do hereby Certifie that Rachell Waggoner made oath to the above Deposition in Essex county Court ye 10th day of August 1708 and on the motion of Philip Pendleton was ordered recorded, and is Recorded. Test Richard Buckner Cl Cur.

Rent Roll of Virginia 1704/05: Wager John Essex County, 1704
Wertebaker, Thomas J., The Planters of Colonial Virginia,
Russell & Russell New York, New York

THE WILL OF JOHN WAGGENER Essex County Virginia Wills and Deeds- 1716

Page 523 Will of John Waggnor of Essex Co. Dated 12 February 1715/16
Prob. May 1716 "In the name of god amen, I John Waggnor of Essex
County being verry sick and weak in body but in perfect sense and
memory thanks and prais beg---- to allmighty god for it D___ bestiw
tise iyward blessings which it hath pleased the almighty to bless me
with in manor following

First, I bequeath my sole to allmighty God

___ I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Rachel Waggnor the
plantation I now live on after her death it goes to me son Benjamin
Waggnor or his heirs forever, & I give to my wife the negros Doll,
Markus (Martin) and Jugg during her natural life and after her death I
give negros Doll to my daughter Margarit Allen wife of William Allen
to her and her heirs forever. I give the negro boy Markus (Martin) to
my son Benjamin and his heirs forever. I give my son Samuel the negro
girl Jugg to him and his heirs forever. I give my son Herbert Waggnor
1 cow being in full of his portion. ___ I give to my son Samuel Waggnor
one ___ and ___ and one cow being his portion. I give to my son Benjamin
Waggnor ___ and ___ rug and blanket, one cow , a port and pan. I give to
my daughter Dinah Allen wife of Erasmus Allen one cow. ___ I give to my
daughter Margaret Allen wife of William Allen one cow. ___ is will
that if my negro woman Doll should ever have any more children ___ what
I have allready given that the next child she has goes to Dinal Allen
wife of Erasmus Allen and her heirs and the nextnegor child after goes

to Herbert Waggnor and his heirs.

___ I give all the remaining part of my estate be it of what nature or kind ___ or ___ I give to my beloved wife Rachell Waggnor and to her ___ I do make and ordain my beloved wife Rachell Waggnor whole and sole executor of this my Last will and Testement. Utterly revoking and denying all other will or wills hereto for made by me. In witness whereof I ahve ___ my hand and seal This 12th day of ___ Seventeen anno and fifteen

To wife Rachell Wagner this plantation during life, then to son Benj. Waggnor. To wife 3 Negroes, Doll, Martin and Jugg during life. Then Doll to my Daughter Margarit Allen wife of William Allen. Negro Martin to son Benjamin. The Negro girl Jugg to son Sam'l Waggoner. To my son Harbert Waggoner one Cow being in full of his portion. To sons Sam'll and Benjamin, beds and personal property. To "my daughter Dinah Allen wife of Erasmus Allen one cow". Other bequests of personal property to children named above. Bal. of Est. to wife, she exer. Signed: John Waggoner Wit: Wm Daingerfield Peter Byrom Bond. 15 May 1716. L 150 Sterl. Rachel Waggener, Extr Est. Jno. Waggoner Signed Rachel X Waggoner Wit: Ralph Gough Wm. Winston Erasmus Allen Rec. 15 May 1716 Page 609, Inventory of Est. of Jno. Waggnor, deed. Long Inventory, Not appraised as valuation. Presented by Rachel Waggoner 20 June 1716. Ex. 9, Page 620, "A true and perfect Inventory of remaining part of the Estate of John Waggoner which being before for got" 6 items not appraised, presented by Rachel Waggoner. Rec. 17 July 1716 See Rachell's notes for her will.

Rent Roll 1704

Wagner John Essex County, 1704

INDIVIDUAL_NOTE

Children and all info to date there from Information received from Randall G. Clack via nanniesattic.com. 6-98

From Rick Waggener: From "The Waggoner Family 1670-1970" by Earl Wagner, 1970: WILL OF RACHELL WAGGENER Essex County Virginia Records-

1717 Tappahannock, Virginia Pages 39-41, Will of Rachell Waggener of Southfarnham Parish in Essex County, dated 6 April 1717. To my son Benja. Waggnor my horse, bridle and saddle and ten head of chatle and to have his choyce of all my stock except one stear. Son Benj. all of stock of hoggs and my great iron pot and pot hooks, a copper stew kette and a small iron kette with copper ledd, a small frying pan, a

grid iron, a iron spitt, a corse meal sifter and a searcle, a pewter flagon and my earthen muggs, two new pewter dishes and four of my pewter basons, four pewter plates, a pair of fire tongues, an iron chain that hangs the pots on, all my fine kersey, buttins, mohair and everthing fit to make up the kersey with, my servant boy Charles Macey, my great chest of all and the chest that is called my chest and all my syder caske, pailes, piggings, powder tubbs, barrells, all my iron wair of all sorts, a new stock lock, three sheets and to have his choice of all my sheets, the largest lining table cloath, three new nappkins and three old ones, two pair of pillow beers, twenty yards of fine Irish lining, a pewter changer pott, all my iron wair of all sorts whatsoever except what shall hereafter mention. To my daughter Dinah Allen my gold ring, a damash gound and pettecoat and rideing found, a large bason, a large pewter dish, two pewter plates, a large tinn pan. All my wairing lining be equeally divided between my daughter Dinah and Margaret Allen. To my Dinah Allen a pair of gloves, a brass sauspan, All my muslin, silke, laces, fine thredd and all my holdswair be equeally divided between my two daughters Dinah and Margaret Allen. To my daughter Margaret Allen all my wairing cloathes not before given, a flock of bed bolster, two blankits, a rugg and one pillow, one large pewterbason, a large peweter dish, two plates, a brase pestle and mortar, a small iron pott, a large tinn sauspan, a pair of new parragon boddiss, all my shoes, a pair worsted stockings, a new iron candlestick, seven yards Juroys, a pair of gloves, three new napkins and three old ones and a table cloath, for yards of blew cottn. All the rest of my blew cotton to my son benja. Waggner. To my aforesaid daughter Margaret Allen a pewter chamber pott, my least box and fan, biggest box to my daughter Dinah Allen. To my son Harbert Waggner a flock bed and bolster, a rugg and two blankits, one pillow, his father's chest, a three gall. iron pott, a pewter bason, a large deep dish, two paltes, a pewter qt. pott, an ivory half knife, four and half yards of grey Kersey, buttons for it. To my son Samll. Waggner a five gall. iron pott, a white chest, a pewter bason. a small deep dish, two pewter plates, a chamber pott, four and a half yards of grey kersey, and buttons to make it up. Remainder of the grey kersey to my son in law Wm. Allen. To my granddaughter Rachel Cheany my silver bodkin, a black silk whoad, a pair of thredd gloves and boddiss I waire every day. To my granddaughter Rachel Waggner a silver spoon. All my thread and new linin not before given be equeally divided between my five grandchildren. All the remaining part of my estate to

my son Benja. Waggnier. My aforesaid son Benja. Waggnier executor.
Rachel R Waggnier Wit: W. Daingerfield, Mary (M) Byron, Peter Byron. 16
Sept 1718 Proved by Benjamin Waggnier executor, and Wm. Dangerfield and
Peter Byron. See John Waggnier's notes for his will.

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Will from Information received from Randall G. Clack via
nanniesattic.com. 6-98 WILL BOOK 9, Essex Co., VA, p. 39-41 "Will of
Rachell Waggnier of Southfarnaham Parish in Essex County, dated 6 April
1717. To my son Benjamin Waggnier my horse, bridle and saddle and ten
head of catle and to have his choyce of all my stock except one steer.
Son Benjamin all my stock of hoggs.

Children of John and Rachel:

1Benjamin Waggnier

b. about 1670

d. about 1759

m. Martha or Sarah Greenhill (~1675-1755)

From Rick Waggnier: From Tyler's Quarterly, Genealogy of Virginia
Families, Vol. 2: Benjamin is described in a couple of places as being
the youngest son of John and Rachel Waggnier (This doesn't quite jibe
with some of the dates I have). He is also described as the last of
the Waggnier brothers of his family to die.

In 1721, he received from George Ward (who it was speculated might be
the brother of Benjamin's mother Rachel), " for love and affection to
my beloved godson", 300 acres of land, "all my Negroes and other
property, messuage and tenement" and "also what I have due or may
become due in the hands of John Moody, Sr." (Essex Co. Deeds and
Wills, 16, p. 289)

Va Land Grants and Patents, UVA online.

19 March 1727, Patents 13, 1725-30, p. 240:

Benjamin Waggoner

Essex County

400a. Beg &c. by a branch that divides this and the said Waggoner's
land thence &c., by the county road

From "Waggoner Family 1670 to 1970" by Earl Wagner, 1970: Will of Benjamin Waggener, Essex Co., Va., Dec. 11, 1748 In the name of God Amen. I Benjamin Waggener of the Parish of Southfarnham in the County of Essex being very sick and weak but in perfect sence and memory and knowing the uncertainty of this transitory life do make and appoint this my last will and testament in manner and form following Viz Item I give and bequeath unto my eldest Son William Waggener the land from the popler at the going over from the Plantation where I now live to the Plantation where my father lived till coming opposet to the bottom that makes from Danniell Daileys Spring branch. Item i give and bequeath unto George Garrett two acres pf land from the corner of Beverleys land adjoining to the land afores. Viz item I tend unto my beloved wife the Plantation where I now dwell on During her Narutal Life and after her Decease I give it to my Son Nathan Waggener to him and his heirs forever and the land also where my father formerly Dwelt excepting the Land I leave to my Son William Waggener and George Garrett. Item I give and bequeath unto my Son Benjamin Waggener all the land that I exchanged from Putley being two hundred acres lying over the branch to him and his heirs forever. Item I tend to my wife all my personal and Raiel estate during her natural life. Viz item I give and bequeath unto Samel Alen Thirty pounds current money for the molatter that I sold that his wives Grand father left her in full of all her portion of my estate to him and his heirs. Viz Item I leave my Estate and personal and Raiel after my wives Decease to be equeally Divided among my children here mentioned William and Dinah, Benjamin, Nathan and Frances Rachel Sarah and Lette. Lastly I do hereby nominate and appoint my well beloved wife and my Son Benjamin Wagener hole and so Executors of this my Last will and testament In witness whereof i have set my hand and Seal this Eleventh Day of December One Thousand Seven Hundred Forty eight. Sealed and Signed in the presence of Philip Jones Ambrose Jones Benjamin Waggener Seal William Lowery Essex County Clerk of the Court Files, Will Book #10, p. 141:

An Account of the sale of the estate of Benj.a Waggoner deceased 9be
26th 1756

Pr. Benjamin Waggoner Executor.

Benjamin Waggoner

bought to the amount off L 60.1.4

Mr. Joseph Gatewood Do 1.10.0

Daniel Hoaghill Do 1.1.7

Thomas Haile Do 0.16.7

James Emerson Do 1.4.0

Joseph Greenhill Do 0.5.10

James Rufoell Do 0.10.7

Samuel Fameill Do 0.1.0

John Curtess Do 0.4.0

James Mills Do 1.10.0

John Smith Do 0.9.0

The amount of the sale of the
whole Estate of Benj.a Waggoner
dec.d is 67.14.4

Pr. Benjamin Waggoner Executor.

At a Court held for Essex County at Tapp.a the 19th day of April 1757.

This Amount was this day returned and ordered to be Recorded.

Test John Luce CLC

2John Waggener, Jr.

6-4-1690: Essex County Clerk's Office, DEED BOOK 8, pgs. 181-183:

"To all Christian People to whom these presents shall come Know you that I James Taylor of the Parish of St. Stevens in the County of new Kent Planter(?) for divers good causes me thereunto moving but more especially for and in consideration of his clearing planting and tending an acre of ground and the building a house for the Seating and Saving of a patent of seven hundred and forty four acres of land to me granted and one Bay Gelding to me in Hand Paid before the Ensealing and Delivery very of these Presents have for myself my heirs so given Granted Bargan sined sold and confirmed and do by these Presents give Grant Bargaine Sell Infors and Confirm in fee unto John Waggener Junior his heirs Executors or assigns forever one Hundred acres of land Being Part or Parcell of the above Rented Patent Relation Being thereunto will mere at large appeare which so land is situate lying

and being in the County of Rappahannock and Parish of Farnham
Beginning at a marked corner Dead Hickory with small markt Red Oake
standing by it being a corner tree belonging me the said Taylor John
Meador and John Doans and standing beside of a path that goeth to
Richard Hales and Running by or nigh the Path adjoining to the land of
John Meadors which he bought of Edmund Thacker south fifty five
Degrees west one Hundred and Sixteen Pole to a pine and further along
the said. Meaders line something more easterly forty Pole to aboener
Red oake of the said John Meadors thense south sixty three Degrees
East one Hundred Sixteen Pole along a line of markt Trees to Two
Corner oakes a Red oake and a spanish oake Thence south fifty five
degrees East one Hundred and forty Pole to a small Red oake sapling
standing in a small Vally beon(?) one of John Evins line Trees that
Parts him the said Evins and Taylor and thence along the said Evins
line north Sixty Three Degrees West to the Place where it first began
To Have and Hold occupie possess and enjoy the above said one Hundred
acres of land with all the Houseing orchards gardens ufoods(?) and
underwoods with all water courses with Profits and Benefits there unto
belonging unto the only use and benefit of him said John Waggoner
Junior his heirs or assigns forever without the lett hindrance or
molestation of him the said James Taylor his heirs Executors or
Administrators or assigns or any by from or under him further the said
Taylor does disclose y I have full Power good Right and lawfull
authority rite to Sell the same ano'y it is free from all manner of
former Gifts, Grants or Sales whatsoever further I do warrant the said
land from me my heirs execs or assigns to the said John Waggoner his
heirs or assigns he the said John Waggoner making and finishing
Planting and Tending the above said acres of ground above exprest
being Part of the Consideration for the above one Hundred acres of
land and also Pay unto our Sovereign Lord and Lady King William and
the Queen Mary their heirs and S---(?) such yearly Rents as shall
become due for the Same further I do warrant the said one Hundred
acres of land as above exprest from the Claim Title or Interest of any
Person or Persons Whatsoever laying any Just Claime thereunto further
I said Taylor do by these Presents oblige myself my Heirs Execs so to

acknowledge this my Dec. of Bargain and Sale together and with my wifes acknowledgment of Right of Dower in Rappahannock Court which shall be Held for the south side of Rappahannock County either by herself or lawfull attorney when there unto Required as witness my Hand and Seale this the fourth day of June one Thousand Six Hundred and Ninety.

Signed Sealed and Delivered James Taylor (Seal)

In Presents of,,,

Thom Wheeler

Thomas Pellis"

From Rick Waggener: According to Lottie B. Halberstadt and/or Mary Lucetta Waggener: She (they) found a record of John's Will in the Parish of Farnham, Essex County, Virginia, dated February 21, 1696, and probated May 10, 1697. This will reportedly named brothers Samuel, Benjamin, Andrew, and James.

From Tyler's Quarterly, Virginia Families, Vol 2: This will, (in Deeds and Wills 1695-99, Pg. 196), John left a tract of land to his brother Samuel with reversion to his youngest brother Benjamin, "to Andrew my gun, to my loving father John Waggener- my cooper's tools", and he mentions "my brother James and my well-beloved Mother".

3 Samuel Waggener

From Rick Waggener: From the "Waggoner Family 1670 to 1970" by Earl Wagner, 1970 Will of Samuel Waggener Essex County, Virginia, Wills, Bonds and Inventories-1728 Pages 312-23. Will of Samuel Waggener in the County of Essex in the Parrish of Southfarnham, being sick and weak in body, dated 12 March 1728/9. Unto my son Samuall all my land and plantation. Unto my dearly beloved wife Christian Waggener dureing her naturall life my whole estate. After her decease to be equeally devided between my five children Lucrecy, Samuall, Price, Winifred and Temperance Waggener. If my beloved wife shall see fitt to pay any of them their part when they come of age it is my desire she should.

My friend John Allen as an overlooker in my state affairs. My beloved wife Christian Waggener exitor. Samll. Wagener Wit: John Allen junr., Benja. Waggener. 16 Sept. 1729. Proved by the executrix and by the witnessess, Pages 313-14. Bond of Christiana Wagoner as executrix of Samll. Wagoner. Unto William Daingerfield, Sal. Muscoe, Richard Tyler jun., Thomas Sthreshly junr., Gent., justices. For L 500 sterl. 16 Sept. 1729. Securities, William allen and Benja. Wagoner. Christinia Waggener Wm. Allen Benja. Waggener 16 Sept. 1729. Acknowledged. Pages 314-16. Samuel Waggener. Inventory. Made in obedience to order of 16 Sept. 1729. Appraisers sworn before Coll. Wm. Daingerfield. No total valuation shown; includes two Negroes valued at L 48. Signed by Christiana (C) Waggener. David Scott James Gatewood Thos. Gatewood 18 Nov. 1729. returned. Page 356. Bond of William Allen and Benjamin Waggoner as administrators of Christiana Waggener. Unto Robert Brooke, Alexander Parker, Thomas Sthreshly junr. and Nichols. Smith, Gent., justices. For L 300 current money. 19 May 1730. Securities, Thomas Davis and Erasmus Allen. Wm. Allen Benja, Waggener Thos. Davis Erasmus Allen Wit: Mark Weekes. 19 May 1730. Acknowledged. Pages 361-62. Christinia Waggener. Inventory. Made in obedience to order of 19 May 1730. Appraisers sworn before Alexander Parker. No total valuation; includes three Negroes valued at L 56. Signed by Wm. Alen and Benja. Wagoner, administrators. Thos. Gatewood Richard Gatewood James Coghill 16 June 1730. Returned. From Donna Lee Carter: Joseph and Henry Reeves, Samuel and Erasmus Allen were the administrators of the Will of a Richard Price: Will Book 13, pgs 121-122--November 19, 1717 Donna speculates that this perhaps a father or brother of his wife Christina, making her a Price. All of my descendant information of Samuel came from Donna.

4Sarah Waggener – no info

5Andrew Waggener- no info

6James Waggener

From Rick Waggener: From Tyler's Quarterly Genealogies of Virginia

Families, Vol. 2: It is recorded that James, when under 15, had been given a cow in 1680, by a John Wells (If James was born in 1674, he was 6 years old, but this would seem to indicate that he must have been a bit older). The reference says that no relationship between James and John is noted. (Old Rappahannock 1677-82, p. 277) The following is all we know of James' subsequent career: "April 10, 1696, Essex County, These are to certify to all whom it may concern that the subscriber intends for Pencilvania by the first opportunity. Any that please may speak with him at any time at John Waggener's house in this county this month. (Signed) James Waggener." (Essex Deeds and Wills 9, p 36) (It is unknown if James actually went to Pennsylvania, but it would seem to be possible, as there are apparently no further records of him in Virginia.)

2 Dec. 1785: Grant X, p. 700:

Fayette County, KY

500 a. on Hickman's Creek adjoining land of Abraham Hite below

7Herbert Waggener – our ancestor

8Margaret Waggener

m. Wm. Allen, Jr. & had 7 children incl Erasmus Withers Allen who moved to Spotsylvania Co., VA, with our James Herbert Waggener in the 1840's

9Dinah Waggener

m. John Allen (presumably brother of Wm.)

Children and all info to date on Dinah there from Information received from Allen Gamble (AEGamble@classic.msn.com) via anniesattic.com. 6-98

From Rick Waggener: From "Waggoner Family 1670 to 1970" by Earl Wagner, 1970: Inventory of the Estate of Mrs. Dinah Allen, Deceased Essex County, Virginia, November 19, 1751 Essex County, Tappahannock, Virginia. Pursuant to order of Court dated 19th day of November 1751, we the subscribers being sworn before a Justice of the Peace for this County have appraised the Estate of Mrs. Dinah Allen, Deceased as follows: Viz (Pounds) (Shilings) (Pence) L S D

23 cattle, L23,

16 hoggs, L7,
8 sheep L2 32 0 0
2 stacks of tops and blades,
1 white horse L 4 5 0 0
1 Mare and colt;
40 barrels of corn @8/0 per bbl. 21 10 0
1 Bed, Bedsted and Furniture 4 0 0
1 Do with Curtains and Vallians 6 0 0
1 Bed, Bedsted and Furniture 4 0 0
6 Leather chairs,
2 old carts & 1 pr wheels 2 13 0
3 old flagg chairs,
2 old carts & 1 pr wheels 1 11 0
A parcel of carts gear and 3 new Plates 1 4 6
2 Punch bowls and a parcel of Earthen & stoneware 0 19 6
1 Brass, 1 iron candlestick, 6 knives & forks, 1 drinking glass 0 8 0
9 Dishes, 4 Basons and 1 poringer 3 2 6
1 Spicemorter and pestle.
A parcel of died wool 0 11
3 1/2 bushel of peas & tub. 3 pecks of beans & hogsett 0 9 3
3 pecks of wheat & stand. A parcel of salt 0 6 6
17 of cotton in the seeds with a bagg 0 5 0
3 picked Do & basket. 5 of cotton in seed & basket 0 6 3
1 pr. Cotton cards, 1 pr wool Do & 2 Sifters 0 3 0
1/2 yd of cambrick, 6 yd Irish linnin 1 0 0 Brought forward L S D
3/4 yd. Irish Linin & 3/4 yd. white sheeting 0 4 0
A parcel of thread, tape & spice. 2/2 of tallow 0 6 3
A parcel of leather. 2 old saichels, 2 old chests 0 9 0
3 old cotton sheets, 1 Linnin Do 0 14 0
1 Dinner table cloth & 3 napkins 0 7 6
2 Dinner Do & 3 towels. An amount of Va. cloth 1 10 0
A parcel of old iron. 1 old gun 0 6 6
1 iron pestle, 1 broad ax & 1 funnel 0 10 0
1 broad hoe & 1 narrow Do. 2 iron wedges 0 6 0
2 hand saws, 1 hammer, drawing knofe & shears 0 6 0

A parcel of old books, 2 copper saucepans 0 10 0

2 broad hoes, 1 narrow ax & 1 funnel 0 9 0

8 quart bottles, 1 black jugg, 1 small looking glass 0 3 3

1 plow, 1 hoe. 5 trays. 1 washing tub 0 11 3

4 pailles & piggans. 1 fryin pan 0 6 6

1 large pot & hooks. 2 small do & hooks 0 17 6

2 meal baggs. 2 cow hides 0 11 0

4 casks & tubs. 1 grindstone 0 13 0

A parcel of old lumber 0 2 0

The whole amount 96 16 2 Given under our hands 17 Day December 1751

Forrest Upshaw Waters Dunn John Lataner 1-L (pound)= 20-S

(shillings)= 240-D (pence) One shilling = 12 cents in Colonial Times.