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Nehemiah Baker

Acc^t Administration
of the Estate of
Nehemiah Baker
of Edgmont.

1779

No 3162

The Act of Joseph Baker & Nehemiah Baker Administrators of the Goods and Chattels, Rights & Credits of Nehemiah Baker Late of Edgmont Deceased as well of all & singular the Goods and Chattels, Rights & Credits of the said Deceased that came to their Hands as of their Payments & Disbursements thereout Viz^t

Impressis The said Accountants Charge themselves with all and singular the Goods & Chattels Rights & Credits of the said Deceased Mentioned and Specified in an Inventory & Appraisement thereof Made & Exhibited in the Registers Office for Chester County

Item The Accountants Pay Allowances for the several same Taxes specified and Collected thereout Viz^t

Amounting to £ 1410 6 0
Advance of Sales 13 12 11

Contra £ 1423 18 11
265 1 1

Due to the Estate £ 1161 18 5
£ 1161 18 5

N ^o 1 Paid Nathan Baker W ^{re} rate & Interest	16	4	✓
N ^o 2 Paid Mary Mordenhall W ^{re} & Interest	8	12	1
N ^o 3 Paid Joseph Baker Cooper	12	17	1/2
4 Paid Joseph Robins	8	2	6
5 William Johnson	20	5	✓
6 Paid Mary Kember	10	✓	✓
7 Paid Nathas Baker	7	3	✓
8 Jephah Lewis	6	7	✓
9 Paid Thomas Marshall	12	✓	✓
10 Paid Abraham Hoops	3	13	9
11 Paid Amos Mordenhall	3	✓	✓
12 Paid Jonathan Morris	2	2	✓
13 Paid Joseph Thomas	2	5	✓
14 Paid John Baker for	2	12	6
15 Thomas Matter	1	16	6
16 Paid Richard Baker	1	12	✓
17 Paid Willm Elliott	5	5	✓
18 Paid Jacob Hibbert	2	14	6
19 Paid Aaron Baker	1	2	6
20 Paid Tho ^s Pilkinton	2	5	✓
21 Paid Tho ^s Baker W ^{re}	0	16	6
22 Paid Joseph Baker W ^{re}	3	✓	✓
23 Paid John Longson	✓	18	✓
24 Paid Mordicus Mapoy	✓	15	✓
25 Paid James Boyan	✓	15	✓
26 Paid Ann Hill	10	✓	✓
27 Paid John Gamble	7	2	6
28 Paid Joseph Humphill	1	2	6
29 Paid Richard Baker W ^{re}	1	2	6
30 Paid Samuel Baker	1	2	6
31 Paid Eliza Baker	1	18	9
32 Paid Mary Baker	1	18	10
33 Paid Legacies left by John Baker W ^{re}	13	5	✓
34 Paid Joseph Baker for	3	19	9
35 Paid Nehemiah Baker	11	17	6
Paid for Settles of Demonstrations	2	1	3
Paid Register fees at Edgmont	1	17	6
Commissions on 1423 at 6 p ^{er} C	85	6	✓
	£ 262	✓	2

Errors Excepted by us

Joseph Baker
Nehemiah Baker

Baker's Demand

Inventory of the Goods & Effects of Nehemiah
 To a Riding horse Saddle & Bridle 85-0-0
 To Horse and Apperrel 40-10-0

Nehemiah Baker
 Estate

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Robert Thomas
Secretary of the Goods & Effects of Schenck

To	a Riding horse Saddle & Bridle	85-0-0
To	Surge and Apperrel	40-10-2
To	a Colt 3 years old	100-0-0
To	a Mare Colt 2 years old	40-0-0
To	a Brown Mare 6 years old	92-10-0
To	a Bay Horse - Schenck Legacy	37-10-0
To	a Red Pied Cow Sheds Legacy	20-0-0
To	a Black Ditto	15-0-0
To	a Black heffer	10-0-0
To	a Red Cow with a white face	15-0-0
To	a Black heffer 3 years old	20-0-0
To	a Yellow Cow	22-10-0
To	2 Spring Cows	8-0-0
To	3 Hogs	24-0-0
To	2 Sows & 4 Shoats	17-10-0
To	6 Sheep	13-10-0
To	2 Wheels & Waggon Bed	25-0-0
To	a Cart Blade & 2 Pair of hors shoes	23-0-0
To	76 bushels of wheat at 1-10-0	117-0-0
To	4 bushels of Rice at 5-0-0	20-0-0
To	10 bushels of barley at 1-10-0	10-0-0
To	39 bushels of oats at 3-11-0	17-11-0

£ 862 11 9
 198-17 6
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Robert Thomas

To	4 1/2 Bushels of Buckwheat at 10 p ^r H	45-10-0
To	12 1/2 Bushels of Indian Corn 15 p ^r H	187-6
To	Wag in the barn	62-0-0
To	Dutch Saw & Cutting box	2-6-0
To	2 sets of horse gear	6-15-0
To	10 Mans Saddle	4-0-0
To	30 Hundred Staves 7-6 p ^r H	227-6
To	2 1/4 Hundred Shingles 10 p ^r H	24-0
To	Flax in the stable & cow house	3-12-0
To	1 Harrow	3-0-0
To	a Copper Still & worm	108-0-0
To	4 Hogheads 2 tierces & 1 barrel	5-15-0
To	22 Bushels of Potatoes	6-10-0
To	a Cyder Mill & trough	5-0-0
To	4 Hogheads & 1 tierce other Cask	5-12-6
To	a feather Bed and bedding together	20-0-0
To	woolling Bed Cloaths	7-10-0
To	Linmen Ditto	10-15-0
To	14 1/2 Yards of flax linen at 1-5 p ^r yd	18-2-6
To	5 Yards of Tow Lints	2-10-0
To	a Market wallet & 1 Pillow Case	1-17-6
To	3 Fabels Cloaths	2-0-6
To	2 1/2 Yards of Brown Cloth	4-7-6
To	7 1/2 Yards of Light Colored Linnen	12-13-9

17th 15-9

To	4 Buckskins	8-0-0
To	3 Chests	1-5-0
To	a Long wheel Spinning Ditto & wheel	4-17-6
To	3 Bowler Fishes 6 Ditto Males & 4 Bases	6-0-0
To	a feather Bed and bedding & Cord	20-7-6
To	18 of wool at 10 p ^r H	2-0-0
To	1 New Page	6-0-0
To	7 ^{cash} 1/2 Huddels & a fire	2-5-0
To	an Eight Day Clock Nehemiah Legacy	50-0-0
To	a Large Bible and others Books	7-5-0
To	an old Cupboard & Little table	1-10-0
To	9 Yards of Raggin at 10 p ^r yd	4-10-0
To	a Pail half Bushel ax. & adde	2-12-6
To	a hand saw square 2 Augers & Post ax.	4-10-0
To	a Larning knife Gong 2 Chisels & Shank	1-0-0
To	4 axes & five Pitch forks	3-10-0
To	5 hours & Mall & 2 edges	1-10-0
To	an Iron bar Clever & Plow hammer	2-0-0
To	a Shovel Spade & Broad ax	10-0-0
To	a Lung fork Hook & ax. yoke	1-5-0
To	2 old Pails & 1 Iron in a Cask	1-5-0
To	11 1/2 Skins Seal Leather & a Calf skin	6-2-6
To	a Wheel Barrow Cart tire Bands & Base	2-15-0
To	a Store	15-0-0
To	100 Hundred Poplar Boards at 10 p ^r H	10-0-0
To	3 Hives of bees & a pair of hand irons	11-0-0
To	five Shovel tongs & 1 set hangings	1-15-0
To	3 flax hachels & 2 brass Kettles	20-5-0

17th 17-0

To	an Iron Pot & Kettle	2-0-0
To	a Doughough & Leader tub	2-10-0
To	a Sewer half pint & Gill	1-15-0
To	2 Cheesfats & Coffee mill	2-11-0
To	3 Mills Cyder funnel & 2 Baskets	2-7-6
To	6 Dozen of tow yarn a table & Bench	2-0-0
To	a Grindstone 2 ox. Chains & pair Cart	1-17-6
To	a Lanthorn & Steelyards	2-0-0
To	a Garden bed Steads & iron rods	1-17-0
To	6 old Chairs a bottles & Beeswax	2-2-6
To	2 Gugs Six & Sundrys on the Dresser	2-5-6
To	a Bed & Bedding & 6 Chairs Phoebe Legacy	37-10-0
To	a Small table & Set of Curtains	1-15-0
To	Cy of scattered stuff at night	3-15-0
To	a Dung Shovel	0-5-0
To	a Dining Table Phoebe Legacy	15--
To	Bills Bonds & Notes	62-11-

Phineas Mafsey

Mordecai Mafsey

Appraised by us

1779
 198 11 6
 24 15 9
 798 11 9
 1400 6 0

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January 2

The Above Appraisers were
 duly Qualified before me J. Saylor

Selemiah Baker's
Will

Dated October 21st - 1775

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I Nehemiah Baker of the Township of Edgmont in
the County of Chester in the Province of Pennsylvania ~~German~~ ^{being}
being Indisposed in Body but of sound disposing mind and memory;
Having in mind the Mortality of my Body, and knowing that it is
Appointed for all men once to die, but the time to us Uncertain
therefore, do make and Ordain this my Last Will and Testament in
Manner and form Following, to wit; Imprimis. I Order that all my
just debts and funeral Expenses be first paid and Discharged, by my
Executors; Item I give and Bequeath unto my dear and well beloved
Wife Lydia Baker, the Sum of One Hundred pounds, Also my best
feather Bed and bedding, a Case of Drawers and furniture Necessary
for a Room, and such of the pewter and Kitchen furniture as she shall
think Necessary for her Use; Item I give unto my said Loving Wife one
Milch Cow, (her Choice) And it is my Will, that my Wife shall have
all the East End of my house during her Natural Life, and the full
Use of that part of the Seller Under the Little Room, Also that my
Son Nehemiah shall find & provide good and sufficient keeping
Winter & Summer for said Cow, and also fire wood brought handy to
the door, and to Deliver to my said Wife Twelve Bushels of Wheat each
and Every Year during her Widowhood; and that she have One half
of the Garden, and Sufficient Apples out of Orchard for her Use.
Item: I give and bequeath to my Daughter Mary Reece the sum of five
pounds; Item I give & bequeath to my son Joseph Baker the sum of five pounds;
Item: I give and bequeath to my daughter Hannah Baker the sum of five pounds;
Item: I give & bequeath to my daughter Lydia Richardson the sum of ten pounds;
Item: I give and devise unto my son Nathan Baker his Heirs and Assigns
for ever; that piece of Land at the North End of my plantation, as the same is
now divided and in the Occupation of my said son; Beginning at a stone
being the Corner of the Land late of James Pennell, thence by the Land of
Thomas Evans North Sixty six degrees East Fifty six perches to a stone thence
by the land of Ann Evans & Abel Green, South Twenty four degrees East—
One hundred & forty one perches to a stone, in the Road thence South fifty
seven degrees West Twelve perches & a half to a stone, thence by my Land North
Twenty four degrees West, Seventeen perches to a stone, thence South Sixty six deg:
West Thirteen perches & a half to a stone, North Twenty four deg: West Twenty five
perches to a stone, thence South Sixty six deg: West thirty one perches to a stone

In said Pennells line, thence by said Pennells land North Twenty four degrees
West Ninty nine perches to the place of Beginning, containing by Estimation
Forty Acres be the same more or less together with all the buildings Improvements
and Appurtenances whatsoever thenceunto belonging and appertaining
Item I do give to my said son Nathan Baker the sum of five pounds
Item I give and bequeath to my daughter Phebe Baker the sum of five
pounds also a feather bed and bedding, a Milch Cow, one Walnut Table, and six
Chairs. It is my Will that the above said Legacies be paid by my Executors
within One year, Next after my decease; Item I give to my son Nehemiah
Baker and to his Heirs and Assigns for ever all that my Plantation situated in
Edgmont and Thornbury whereon I now dwell, with all the Buildings and
Improvements on the same; he my said son yeilding and paying to his Mother
the sum of six pound yearly and Every year during her Natural life;
Item I give and bequeath to my said son Nehemiah Two Horses and geese my
Cart and plow and Eight day flock; Item I give to my grandson
Nehemiah Richardson the sum of five pounds; Item I give to my
grandson Nehemiah Baker the sum of five pounds; Item I give
to my grandson Aaron Baker Son of Nathan Baker the sum of five pounds
to be paid to them my said grandsons by my son Nehemiah Baker when
they shall attain to the Age of Twenty One Years Respectively. Item it is
my Will and I Order that all the Rest and Remainder of my Estate be by
my Executors disposed of to the best Advantage the Money therefrom arising
to be Equally divided Between all my Children, Sons and Daughters
Share and share alike. And I do hereby Nominate constitute & appoint
my said sons Joseph Baker & Nehemiah Baker to be joint Executors of this
my Last Will & Testament granting to them and the Survivor of them full power
and Authority to Act therein. And Lastly I do hereby utterly disavow revoke
and disannull all and every Testaments Wills Legacies & Executors by me in any
ways before this time named Willed and Bequeathed Ratifying and Confirming
this only to be my last Will and Testament. In Witness whereof I have
hereunto set my hand and seal the Thirtieth day of the fourth month called April
In the year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and twenty Eight.

Signed Sealed Published Pronounced and
Declared by the said Nehemiah Baker to be his
Last Will & Testament In the presence of us.

Nehemiah Baker

Daniel Broome Affirm'd
Thomas Evans Affirm'd