

In Obedience to an order of the Court of South Hampton County, Virginia  
the 11<sup>th</sup> day of May 1769 for the Appraisement of the Estate of  
John Edwards, We the subscribers being sworn have  
appraised said estate as above stated

Wm. Blunt  
John Blunt  
John Carter

At a Court held for the County of South Hampton the 10<sup>th</sup> day  
of August 1769 — This Inventory & Appraisement  
of the estate of John Edwards deceased was returned & ordered to be  
Recorded

R. Hills J.

Invent. &c. of  
Wm. Branches  
est.

### An Inventory and appraisement of William Branches estate

|                                                          |    |    |   |
|----------------------------------------------------------|----|----|---|
| To 1 house                                               | 2  | 10 |   |
| To 2 Sows & 10 Shoats                                    | 2  | 3  |   |
| To 1 Bed & furniture                                     | 1  | 10 |   |
| To 1 Bed & furniture                                     |    | 16 |   |
| To 2 Sides of a Skin of leather                          |    | 15 | 6 |
| To 2 Bells                                               |    | 2  |   |
| To 1 Chest                                               |    | 5  |   |
| To 2 Pocket books & 1 P. Spusack                         |    | 1  | 3 |
| To 1 Parake bird & 1 Chalk                               |    | 15 |   |
| To 1 Pot of hooks                                        |    | 4  |   |
| To 1 Pot of hooks                                        |    | 1  | 3 |
| To 1 Tying Pan                                           |    | 2  |   |
| To 1 Pop Iron                                            |    | 3  | 6 |
| To 6 Knives & Forks                                      |    | 1  | 6 |
| To 1 Sharp Shears cutting Knife & wood & candle snuffers |    | 1  | 6 |
| To 2 Dishes                                              |    | 7  | 6 |
| To 4 Basins                                              | .. | 8  | 6 |
| To 5 Plates                                              | .. | 4  | 6 |
| To 15 Spoons & salt Cellar                               | .. | 2  | 6 |
| To 1 Linen wheel & wooden wheel                          | .. | 6  | 3 |
| To 3 Stirrup Irons & 1 Tankard                           | .. | 1  | 3 |
| To 1 hand saw & auger & chisel & gouge & hammer          |    | 2  | 6 |
| To 1 old hoe                                             |    | 3  | 6 |
| To 2 Wedges & 1 pound of Iron & 1 Ax.                    |    | 6  | 6 |
| To 3 Bottles & 1 Vial                                    |    | 1  | 3 |
| To 1 Tub wain Nail & Nigger & tray                       | .. | 3  |   |