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1809
Mar 3rd

Balance due as *pro Contra*

per

Leaves a balance due the *per*

198	5	5 ³ / ₄
36	0	0
162	5	5 ³ / ₄

Contra

Nov
1797

By Amount of Sales of Decedant's Estate this day

" Sale of Negro Ben

" Amount received on a Bond against Bailey & Clinch

" Sale of Negro Iron

" Sale of Aggy and Child

" Sale of a Mare by the Sheriff to Satisfy Tho. Smith's execution £52.84

" Sale of Negroes Sally, Blairy & dufarmes by Sheriff on Execution in favour Purdie's Executors } £137.6.0

" Balance due the Executor

£	<i>per</i>	<i>or</i>
527	13	10
75	0	0
66	0	0
90	0	0
105	0	0
169	8	4
198	5	5 ³ / ₄
1231	7	8 ³ / ₄

By the Sale of negro man Joe which by the direction of the Court is to be carried to the Credit of the estate

36	0	0
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In Obedience to an order of the County Court of Southampton, we Jacob Darden and Hardy Cobb, have Examined, Stated and Settled an account Current of the estate of Henry John Burgess decd and find the said estate to be indebted to the executor, the sum of one hundred and ninety eight pounds, five shillings and five pence three farthings as appears above. In this account however we have omitted to Credit the Estate by amount which Col^l A. Jones, the ~~son~~, was to have received for an old negro man Joe, belonging to the Estate and which he sold on a credit to a Mr. Richardson of South Carolina at \$120. Col^l Jones states that at the particular request of Mrs Burgess (the widow of his Testator), from the malevolent disposition of this negro, together with his attempts and frequent threats to do mischief to the family, he felt himself bound to dispose of him at all events, That to sell him to this Mr. Richardson, on a credit, was the only opportunity which then offered of getting clear of him & that he has used every measure in his power to collect the money but has never received it. He therefore would think it a hard ship under all these circumstances to be Compelled to pay the amount for which he sold, we therefore, without offering an opinion on the Subject, Submit it, with all other of our transactions in the premises to the County Court aforesaid -

Given under our hands this 3rd

day of March 1809 -

Jacob Darden
Hardy Cobb