

		Balance due the Estate brought over	76	28	
		Subscribed July 25 from 25 th August 1824 to 25 th August 1825			4 52
1825 Aug	8	By account returned this year	43	60	
		Balance due the Estate	33	68	

In pursuance to the order made to us and also the have examined stated and settled the account of
 Enoch Post Thomas administration proceedings in the Estate of Ephraim Tarnum deceased and find a balance
 due the Estate of £32.68 Cents of principal and £4.52 Cents of Interest as stated above all which charges
 and debts are to be paid by subtraction to the Credit.

Leopoldus Soffner
 Clerk. Remiss

A Court held for the County of Southampton on the 25th August 1825 The Accounts Remiss
 of the Estate of Ephraim Tarnum deceased was this day returned and found to be correct.

John James Stobbs

In the name of God Amen I William M Barnes of the County of Southampton being in a
 state of health at present and calling to mind the mortality of my body and knowing that it is
 appointed for all men to die do hereby make and declare this my last will and testament in form and
 manner following. I Give Stand to my loving wife Elizabeth all my lands containing by Estimation
 six hundred and fifty acres also all my slaves stock of all kinds and their increase together with
 all my house hold and Kitchen furniture and plantation utensils except one colt one
 Cart and Pottles one Gun and one pair of Testles during her natural life or widowhood
 and after her death or marriage then I give the aforesaid lands to my two sons John M
 Barnes and Nathan Barnes and their heirs forever to be valued by three good men and
 Equally divided between them the said John M Barnes and Nathan Barnes and their
 I Give to my Daughter Martha M Barnes as much out of the aforesaid lands as shall be the
 of my two sons in the aforesaid land and after his having his part in proportion to my sons then I give the
 balance of the aforesaid slaves if any to my two children to be equally divided between them I Give
 to my Sister during her natural life one Gun and Pottles I Give to Martha Barnes one pair of Testles
 during her life. I Give to my son John M Barnes one colt which is called his colt also one Gun
 and his heirs forever It is my desire for all my just debts to be paid I Give the money that
 is due to me to be applied to that purpose and if there should not be enough due me to pay all
 my just debts it is my desire that my Executors and Executors should dispose of such property as they
 think proper to pay all my just debts I Appoint my loving wife Elizabeth Barnes and my son L
 Henry Foster and John Thomas my next friend of this my last Will and testament
 witnessing etc. former Will and Confirming this my last will and testament I do make
 my hand and seal this 25th day of August 1825

Witness

Richard R Day

James Mark

Stobbs & Son

A Court held for the County of Southampton on the 16th May 1825 The Will was presented in Court by
 proved by the oaths of Richard R Day and Stobbs & Son of the executor's trusts and was
 to be received and at a Court held for the peace and County of Southampton on the 17th
 September 1825 The Will was further proved by the oaths of James Mark Stobbs &
 witnesses there and again received. The said three names appearing to qualify the same
 committed into the hands of the Sheriff

James Stobbs & Son