

Probate, NC, Craven, Hardy Bryan, 1785

The estate of Hardy Bryan, deceased, in A/C with the estate of William Bryan, deceased, his executor for expenditures since the last settlement.

1785 - 1790

[Orphans]

ASA BRYAN
EDMUND BRYAN
JAMES BRYAN
LEWIS BRYAN
NATHAN BRYAN
THOMAS BRYAN [TOMMY]
WILLIAM BRYAN

[Other names in accounts]

MR. ADAMS
JAMES ELLIS
JAMES GATLIN, surveyor
THOMAS HALL
RICHARD HUNLEY, Captain
JOHN KING
DANIEL PARRY
EDMUND PERKINS
JOHN SITGREAVES
DR. WHITE
WILLIAM WHITFIELD

[Negores]

BEN, JAUSH, MOLL

Agreeable to an order of the County Court Craven as to us directed, we the subscribers have proceeded to examine the accounts of **WILLIAM BRYAN**, deceased, as executor of **HARDY BRYAN**, deceased, and do find the same as herein stated that the balance due on the general account settled up to the 15th day of October 1790 to be four hundred and eight five pounds, two shillings and five pence.

We also find a credit on the books of the said [folded] beef cattle belonging to **JAMES BRYAN** son of the aforesaid **HARDY BRYAN**, deceased, to amount of seventeen pounds ten shillings and to **WILLIAM BRYAN** son of said **HARDY BRYAN**, deceased, for cattle sold to amount of thirteen pound nine shillings and four pence.

Also for one years hire of Negroes after the division which took place 13th October 1790, belonging to **ASA BRYAN** to amount of seventeen pound fifteen shilling and ditto belonging to **EDMUND BRYAN** to amount of thirty six pound four shillings.

Given under our hands this 2nd day of January 1795

WILLIAM HENRY
GEORGE LANE

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I have examined the accounts of **WILLIAM BRYAN**, deceased, late executor of **HARDY BRYAN**, deceased, I believe the charges so far as relates to cash & clothes & c. furnished for me to be right, but think there ought to be a deduction of at least twelve or eighteen months board which will not be more than an equivalent for my services in writing for him that time in the clerks office.

JAMES H. BRYAN
9th December 1793

September Term 1795

The within award was received & approved by the court receipt as to £7.2.6 to be deducted out of the General Account. Ordered that the executor pay the balance to those entitled.

Attest

SAMUEL CHAPMAN, CC

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State of North Carolina
Craven County Court

December Term 1794

Ordered that **WILLIAM HENRY**, **WILLIAM COX** and **GEORGE LANE** be appointed to audit the accounts of **WILLIAM BRYAN**, deceased, who was executor of **HARDY BRYAN**, deceased, and make return to next term.

SAMUEL CHAPMAN, CC

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To the worshipful court of Craven County

WILLIAM BRYAN humbly showeth to your worships, that some years passed his nephew **WILLIAM BRYAN**, son of **HARDY BRYAN**, was bound by this court apprentice to Mr. **JAMES MCDOWELL**.

That he apprehends Mr. **MCDOWELL** has not by any means complied with or discharged his duty as a master to his apprentice, either in providing for his support in clothes or board, nor in instructing him in his business.

That the boy is a weak and sickly lad, subject to a dangerous dysentery, he therefore prays that ye worships will cause the said McDowell to appear before the court to show cause, if any he has, why the indentures may not be made void & his apprentice discharged from his service.

& he will pray & c.

WILLIAM BRYAN

7th June 1790

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The petition of
WILLIAM BRYAN, Esquire
in behalf of **WILLIAM BRYAN**, Jr.

Read June Term 1790

Granted by
ordering the boy within
mentioned to be released
from his indentures.

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