

August 16. Whereas this day John Hatch, Rich: Banks, & Will^m. Marshall, messengers of J^r Allen
 will & testament of Tho: Allen deceased, have brought into J^r Register's office, & lay
 left with us testament of J^r Tho: Allen. And whereas there is over put power to
 grant lites of admittance. It is therefore ordered by J^r Court of J^r John Hatch,
 Rich: Banks, & Will^m. Marshall that receive & collect J^r estate, w^{ch} otherwise
 would fall to ruin, & cause to be appraised by J^r oaths of Walter Beane
 Walter Waterlin, & Robert Smith, & being into J^r Register's office, a true & full
 Inventory of J^r estate, w^{ch} appraisment thereof, w^{ch} in Ten days. And J^r allowance
 or receipt thereof, whensoever they shall be thereunto called by J^r Judge of
 Testamentary Causes, in this province.

Copy sent to J^r Hatch.

J^r Hatch, Rich: Banks, & Will^m. Marshall sworn by J^r Court according to
 Tenure of J^r order above.

Know all men by these presents that we John Hatch, Rich: Banks, & Will^m. Marshall do hereby
 firmly bind ourselves, Heirs, & assigns to pay, or cause to be paid, unto J^r Beall Beal
 Remon Prop^r of this province his heirs or assigns J^r full summe, or part of Ten thousand
 pound weight of gold & silver the last Feb: & up.

The Condition of this obligation is such that if J^r Will^m. Marshall
 & Will^m. Marshall shall give a true, true, & faithful account of J^r estate
 Tho: Allen deceased, whensoever they shall be thereunto called by J^r Judge of Testam-
 tary causes of this province: then this present obligation to be void, or else to stand
 full force. Witness our hands & seals
 J^r Register. John Hatch.
 Rich: Banks.
 Will^m. Marshall.

August 17th. Walter Beane sworn by J^r Court, Walter Waterlin & Robert Smith
 sworn by George Buzhair (being authorized thereunto by writ from the
 Court) to make a true appraisment of all such goods as shall be brought into the
 by J^r Hatch, Rich: Banks, & Will^m. Marshall, belonging to Tho: Allen late
 Testamentary deceased.

William Marshall demander of Henry Lee & Co. Tob: due by ac-
 count to J^r Sheriff's ret. Octob^r. Court.

August 18th. A True Inventory of J^r Estate of Tho: Allen deceased, & apprais-
 by J^r oaths of Walter Beane Robert Smith, & Walter Waterlin
 18th Aug. 1648.

One iron tenent having 4 months lites	of J ^r Prop of Tob:	1 6 0
One small feather bed w ^{ch} canopy ticking, one feather pillow		0 3 0
one white rug, one deer skin w ^{ch} feathers on it		
Two old wearing hoes, two old Rasing hoes, one old Dutch spade		0 1 6
one little old ironing pan, one hand-saw, one drawing knife		
one adze, one Auger, one fire, one yron Papp, 300 C. nails		
one old narrow ax		
one yron pot, & one old Braffe kettle		0 1 0