

# Probate Inventories of Bristol: Selected Examples from Ecclesiastical Cause Papers, 1694-1783

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This working paper includes twelve selected probate inventories from the Ecclesiastical Cause Papers (ECP) in the Bristol Record Office (BRO).

As Jonathan Barry has pointed out, one of the pioneers of research using the probate inventories of Bristol was John Moore.<sup>1</sup> In his two volumes, Moore transcribed 660 inventories from the Bristol rural area.<sup>2</sup> Other important works are the publications of Edwin and Stella George, specifically the three volumes of transcription of probate inventories in the BRO and their *Guide*.<sup>3</sup> This *Guide* can be used as a sub-index in addition to the official index of the BRO. The *Guide* shows us the total number of probate inventories in the BRO and provides quick access to information about each inventory, such as name of the deceased, parish or area, occupation or status, and value.

Almost all probate inventories in the BRO have been recorded on microfilm, but as the Georges have pointed out, only 'distinguished inventories' are included in the ECP as manuscript; there are 67 of them.<sup>4</sup> These inventories are not included on microfilm and only eleven are transcribed and published in the Georges' three volumes. When some inventories were required for proceedings in the consistory court, they remained in the annual collection of the ECP.<sup>5</sup> Many of them are high-value inventories with long lists of goods and chattels, some of them with credits. These inventories are ideal samples to examine the real lives of the wealthier folk of Bristol.

Seven inventories in the BRO from the period between 1684 and 1692 could not be examined because of the bad condition of the papers.<sup>6</sup> Eleven inventories were transcribed and published in three volumes. The lowest in value is for £2 and the highest is for £2,621. Fifty-one inventories are for over £50, 34 inventories are over £100 in value and four inventories are for over £1,000. It is very rare to find so many high-value probate inventories in one sample group. Thirty-one inventories are preserved with accounts, and eight inventories are accompanied by accounts and wills. A will, inventory and account comprises the complete set of probate records for one person, so these are good examples for the comparison of documents in order to see

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<sup>1</sup> Barry, J. 'Introduction' in George, E. and S., with the assistance of Fleming, P. (2008) *Bristol Probate Inventories Part III: 1690–1804*, Bristol Record Society's Publication Vol. 60, viii.

<sup>2</sup> Moore, J. (1976) *Goods and Chattels of Our Forefathers: Frampton Cotterell and District Probate Inventories 1539–1804*, Philimore & Co. Ltd. Moore, J. (1981) *Clifton and Westbury Probate Inventories 1609–1761*, Avon Local History Association.

<sup>3</sup> E. and S. George, *Bristol Probate Inventories Part III*. George, E. and S., with the assistance of P. Fleming (2005) *Bristol Probate Inventories: 1657–1689*, *Bristol Record Society's Publication Vol. 57*. George, E. and S., with the assistance of P. Fleming (2002) *Bristol Probate Inventories Part I: 1542–1650*, *Bristol Record Society's Publication Vol. 54*. George, E. and S. (1988) *Guide to the Probate Inventories of the Bristol Deanery of the Diocese of Bristol*, B.R.S & B.G.A.S.

<sup>4</sup> EP/J/2/1/1684-1804, BRO.

<sup>5</sup> George, E. and S. *Guide of the Probate Inventories of the Bristol Deanery of the Diocese of Bristol*, xv.

<sup>6</sup> EP/J/2/1/1684, EP/J/2/1/1685, EP/J/2/1/1786, EP/J/2/1/1787, EP/J/2/1/1789, EP/J/2/1/1792, BRO.

how the deceased's goods were recorded and divided up amongst heirs and creditors.

Thirty-seven names of occupations are included, and some of them are very rare and interesting jobs, such as teaman<sup>7</sup> and lighterman,<sup>8</sup> which appear only once each in all the probate inventories of the BRO. There are five victuallers,<sup>9</sup> an occupation that had a close relationship with the maritime economy, because not only did victuallers provide provisions and beverages for voyages, they also sold liquor to mariners and ran taverns. The jobs of shipwright<sup>10</sup> and hooper<sup>11</sup> were also essential in the port because shipwrights repaired or rigged ships and hoopers made not only hoops of barrels for the transport of liquids but also made up and broke down barrels to re-use parts. It seems that other occupations were not related directly to the maritime economy of Bristol, but 57 inventories came from city parishes and wards, whereas only seven came from rural parishes or areas, and most of the inventories came from commercial occupations, so it is likely these people had some connections with the maritime economy.

In this working paper, twelve inventories are selected from the ECP of Bristol. Four examples are selected from mariners, because this occupation was the largest group in Bristol during the seventeenth and eighteenth centuries. One example from victuallers is selected as an occupation related with port cities. Four examples are selected from the lower-value group under £10 and three examples are from the highest-value inventories in the ECP. These selections can reveal lives of a wide range people in Bristol in the eighteenth century.

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<sup>7</sup> EP/J/2/1/1776, BRO.

<sup>8</sup> EP/J/2/1/1781, BRO.

<sup>9</sup> EP/J/2/1/1762, EP/J/2/1768, EP/J/2/1772, EP/J/2/1773, EP/J/2/1783, BRO.

<sup>10</sup> EP/J/2/1/1764, BRO.

<sup>11</sup> EP/J/2/1/1778, BRO.

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### Mariners' inventories (4 examples)

Year	Name	Occupation & status	Parish or area
1763	James Owens	Mariner	City of Bristol
1764	Stephen Rogers	Mariner	St. Stephen
1783	John Collins	Mariner	City of Bristol
1773	Thomas Smith	Mariner	St. Augustine

### Victualler's inventory (1 example)

Year	Name	Occupation & status	Parish or area
1783	John Saunders	Victualler	City of Bristol

### Lower-value inventories (4 examples).

Year	Name	Occupation & status	Parish or area
1694	John Wright	Merchant	City of Bristol
1748	Neady Margaret	Widow	City of Bristol
1751	Close Winburn	Mariner	Diocese of Bristol
1771	Thomas Sherman	Yeoman	Diocese of Bristol

### Higher-value inventories (3 examples from the highest-value inventories in the ECP)

Year	Name	Occupation & status	Parish or area
1729	John Duval	Wine merchant	City of Bristol
1778	William Poole	Maltster	Diocese of Bristol
1783	Francis Jaques	Baker	Diocese of Bristol

*Probate Inventories selected from Ecclesiastical Cause Papers*

**Mariners' inventory (4 examples)**

**(1) James Owens, mariner. City of Bristol. 1763**

A true and perfect Inventory of all and Singular the Goods Chattels and Credits of James Owens late of the City and Diocese of Bristol Mariner deceased which since his Death have come to the Hand Possession or Knowledge of Betty Owens his Widow Relict and Administratrix (now the Wife of William Matcott of the same City Mariner) as followeth and by her exhibited into the Registry of the Episcopal Court of Bristol this Twenty Sixth day of May One Thousand Seven Hundred and Sixty Three

These Household Goods hereinafter mentioned were taken valued and appraised by James Pearse and Edward Savage at the several Rates and prices following (to wit)

*In the fore Garrett*

	£	s	d
Three old rush bottom Chairs	0	0	2

*In back Garrett*

One old Bed and Bedstead worth	0	0	0
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*In the back Room 2d Story*

One old Bedstead with old Yellow furniture	0	10	0
One old Flock bed, one Bolster, one Rugg, one Blankett, & two old Sheets	0	12	6
Five old broken Chairs	0	1	0
To one old broken Table	0	1	0
One small looking Glass	0	1	6

*Fore room 2d Story*

One Bedstead with Green furniture	}		
One Feather Bed Bolster, one Rugg, & 2 Blankets	} 2	0	0
One Bedstead with Yellow Furniture	}		
One Feather Bed Bolster, one Rugg, 2 Old Blanketts, and 2 old Sheets	} 2	0	0
Eight broken Chairs	0	1	0
One Iron Grate	0	3	6

One old dressing Table	0	0	6
One small looking Glass	0	5	0
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carried over	£5 :	16 :	2
Brought over	5:	16:	2

*Fore room First Story*

One Bedstead with Blue furniture, One Feather Bed, One bolster, Two pillows, One Pair of old Sheets, One pair of Blanketts, and one old Quilt	}	3	10	0
Two old oak Tables		0	15	0
One round Oak Table		0	2	0
One old base of Drawers		0	5	0
Eight old Wooden-bottom Chairs		0	8	0
One two-armed Chair		0	1	6
Two old-fashioned looking Glasses		1	1	0
One old Eight-day Clock		2	0	0
One Stove Grate, one Brass Fender, and one Iron Tongs	}	1	1	0
Four old Pictures		0	1	0
One China Bowl		0	1	6
A parcell of delft ware and some broken Glasses	}	0	2	6
Six old brass Candlesticks (different sorts )		0	4	6
One old Copper Coffee pot one Copper pott and one Cover		0	2	6
One old warming pan full of Holes		0	0	6
Ten pewter dishes wt. 28 Lb.		0	15	0
Eighteen Pewter old plates		0	10	0

*In the middle Room one Story*

One large deal Chest		0	5	0
One small Chest		0	2	6
One old Bedstead, one old flock Bed, one pillow, Two old Sheets, Two old Quilts	}	0	10	0

*Linnen*

Three pair of Sheets	1	2	6
Two pair of old Sheets	0	10	0
Six old Table Cloths	0	15	0
Six pillow Cases	0	6	0
Four Napkins	0	6	0
Cloths & wearing apparell			
One Suit of brown Cloths	1	10	0
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Carried over	£22	4	2
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Brought over	22:	4:	2

Two old Coats Four Waiscoats, One pair of old Breeches

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*Fore Kitchen*

Two old Settles	0	4	0
One old deal Table	0	2	0
Five reed-bottom Chairs	0	3	6
One Iron Grate Slice Poker & Tongs	0	8	0

*Little Fore Room*

One old Coffee mill	0	0	9
One Oak Oval Table	0	2	6
Four wooden bottom Chairs	0	5	0
Six old prints	0	1	6

*Little Back Room*

Two old Tables & Five old rotten Chairs	0	2	0
Three Copper Potts, one Kettle, and Two old Saucepans	0	7	6
One old frying pan, one old Gridiron, one Iron Stand and one old Tin dripping Pan	}	0	2 6
Three Coolers	1	1	0
1 Meshing Tub	0	15	0
One long deal Table	0	7	6
One old Iron Grate	0	4	0
One deal Press	0	2	6

Nine Beer Barrels	2	14	0
Three Kilderkins	0	12	0
Twelve old Tubs	1	4	0
One Cooler	0	5	0
Sundry old Things in the Cellar	0	10	0
Plate wt 84 03: 1/2 @ 5s/	21	2	6
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	£53:	10:	11

Elizabeth Matcott

An Account of Moneys received for Goods sold and delivered and also for sundry Debts due to the said deceased at the time of his Death from the several Persons hereafter mentioned (to wit)

recd of John Teatt	10	5	0
recd of Mr. Quinell	5	5	0
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	£15:	10:	0

carried over

15: 10: 0

Br't over

Recd of Mr Hoben	3	3	0
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The Stock of Ale in the Cellar 12 Barrells, being in the Summer made

little of it some was sold for Three half pence the Quart

and of great deal of it made nothing	5	0	0
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£23: 13: 0

Debts due and owing from the several persons hereunder mentioned which this Exhibitant believes to be desperate therefore the protests against been charged with the same or any part thereof until she shall receive the same (to wit)

From Joseph Holmes	3	17	4
From William Wittey	3	6	10

From John Howlder	4	8	7
From Luke Dwyer	3	16	5
From Mr. Faguson	0	9	1
From David Commings	3	2	10
From Adam Anderson	1	10	0
From Hugh Logan	0	9	0
From Mr. Maxam	1	8	4 1/2
From William Scott	0	9	3
From Griffy Smith	0	6	8 1/2
From John Morris	0	13	6
From John Jenkins	2	7	7 1/2
From Michael Whelin	3	11	10
From John Deneson by the Ball of the accounts	1	11	7 1/2
From Mr. Rowe	4	4	4
From Mr. Kelly	2	11	6
From Mark Cross	0	10	5
From Mrs. Walton	1	16	2
From Luke Dwyer	15	13	2
From Mr. Pope	7	9	11 1/2
From George Elliott	2	9	10 1/2
From Mrs. Smith	3	13	1
From Richard Mayler	31	7	11
From Nicholas Harry	11	12	7 1/2
	£112:	18:	0 1/2

carried over

	Brt over	112:	18:	0 1/2
From John Millard		6	14	10
From Edward Bryan		4	18	9 1/2
From John Price		8	19	6
From Mr. Tolbot		13	12	7 1/2
From Captain Doyle		12	4	1 1/2



From Mrs. Walton's Maid	2	1	0
From Mrs. Peacock	1	16	0
From Timothy Kenedy	2	2	0 1/2
From Jonathan Kenedy	2	18	6
From Mr. Brown a Chairman	8	14	6
From Mr. Collins	0	17	2
From Mr. French	0	11	4 1/2
From Mr. Cox	1	16	3
From Mr. Robason	14	7	9
From Doctor Neil	2	6	6
From William Manstone	0	9	7
From John Brea	0	5	0
From Robert Preist	0	5	0
From John Handley	1	13	1
From Charles Smith	4	5	6 1/2
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	£203	17:	2 1/2
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The Charge

This Accountant chargeth herself with the several Articles set forth in the fore going Inventory amounting to the Sum of Fifty-Three pounds, Ten Shillings, & Eleven pence	53	10	11
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Also with the debts & reced amounting to the Sum of Twenty Three pounds Thirteen Shillings	23:	13:	0
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*The Discharge*

This accountant craveth an allowance for the several Sums of Money by her paid laid out and expended in and about the Funeral of the said deceased and otherwise touching her Administratorship as followeth (to wit)			
To the deced's <sup>i</sup> Coffin and Shroud	4	10	0

To the Glover and for Cloaks	1	18	0
To Crape and Ribbond	1	12	1 1/2
carried over	£8:	0:	1 1/2
Br. over	8:	0:	1 1/2
To Wine	0	10	0
To Expences in laying the deced out	0	10	0
To the deced's Burial	1	0	10
To the Doctor's Bill	0	3	3
To the Shoemaker's Bill	1	7	5
To a lump of Sugar	1	0	5
To Water Money	0	7	6
To the Excise as p receipt	3	2	0
To the Barber's Bill	0	3	0
To the Lamps and Scavenger	0	12	1
To white limeing the House	0	7	8
To nursing a Child before the Death of the said James Owens	1	6	0
To half a Year's Watch Money	0	3	7
To half a Year's Window Tax	0	6	6
To the Baker's Bill	0	9	6
To Three Quarter's Rent of the House when he died	16	10	0
To Three Quarter's Bridge Money	0	9	9
To Two Barrells of Syder ( <i>Cider</i> )	4	15	0
To the Malster's Bill	34	6	0
	£75:	4:	7 1/2

Item this accountant craveth an allowance  
of the sum of Eighteen Shill<sup>iii</sup> by her paid for  
taking out Letters of Administration to the  
Effects of they said deceased and the Sum of  
One Pound Two shillings for drawing Ingrossing and

exhibiting this Inventory and account and  
 other necessary Charges relating thereto 2: 0: 0

This accountant also saith That there  
 are sundry Debts now due and owing from  
 the Estate of the deceased which still  
 remain unsatisfied.

Particularly to Luke Ladd for Money lent the deced 70 0 0

Elizabeth Matcott.

Source : EP/J/2/1/1763, BRO.

**(2) Stephen Rogers, mariner, St. Stephen, 1764.**

A true and perfect Inventory of all and Singular the Goods Chattels and Credits  
 of Stephen Rogers late of the City and Diocese of Bristol Mariner deceased which since his  
 Death have come to the Hands Possession or Knowledge of Elizabeth Rogers  
 Widow Administratrix of all and Singular the Goods Chattels and Credits of the said deceased  
 taken and appraised the Twenty Fourth Day of February in the Year of our Lord One  
 Thousand Seven Hundred and Sixty four as followeth (to witt)

First	The deceased's Wearing Apparel of all sorts	~	3	12
Also	Ready Money in the Deceased's House at the Time of his Death		23	19
Also	His Silver Plate (to witt)			
	One milk Jug Five Tea Spoons One pair of Buckles One Old Watch and One pair of Sleeve Buttons	} 2	14	~
Also	The deceased's Household Goods (to witt)			
	One Broken Mahogany Desk	1	10	~
	Six Prints framed and glazed	~	3	~
	One Cloaths Horse	~	1	~
	One Bedstead with Blue Furniture	1	2	~
	One Bed Bolster Two Pillows and a Pillow Case	1	10	~
	Two Blanketts and One Quilt	~	16	~
	One Bed and Two Pillows	1	5	~
	One small Quilt and Rug	~	6	~
	One small Oak Desk	~	10	6

Six Walnut Chairs and an Arm Chair	1	11	6
One Sea Bed One Pillow One Small Quilt and Coverlid	~	9	~
One Oak Pillar Table	~	5	~
An Eight Day Clock Jappan Case	4	14	6
One Stove Grate	~	17	~
One Sconce Looking Glass		1	1
An oaks Desk Bedstead	~	16	~
One Feather Bed and Bolster	~	18	~
One Rug Two Blankets and a very Old Blanket	~	10	~
An Old Corner Cupboard	~	4	6
Four Curtains Valions Head Teaster and a small red Check Window Curtain	} 1	5	~
Carryed forwards	£	50:	6: 0
Br. forwards		50:	6: 0
One Bed and Bolster	2	2	~
Mahogany Tea Board and Tea Chest	~	5	~
Two Looking Glasses	~	6	~
One Old broken Table	~	~	6
One Brass Fender One Pestle and Mortar and One Warming Pan	~	10	6
One Iron Box and Iron Fender	~	3	~
One pair of Bellows	~	1	~
Three Pewter Dishes and Eleven Pewter Plates	~	11	8
Three Brass and One Iron Candlestick	~	1	8
An Oval Table	~	5	~
Twelve Wooden Chairs	1	4	~
Three Rush Bottom Chairs	~	1	6
Three Pair of Tongs a Poker and Shovel	~	2	6
Two Tea Kettles	~	4	6
A Tin Candle Box one Tin Oven and one Dripping Pan	~	1	3
Six Prints framd and glazd	~	6	~
Seven Blue and White China Plates	~	5	~
One small plaid Window Curtain	~	1	~

Six China Cups and Saucers some broke and some whole	~	2	~
One Tea Chest and painted Sugar Canister	~	3	6
An Old Jappan Tea Board	~	~	6
One China Bowl and one China Bowl crackt	~	4	~
Eight Sheets	~	16	~
Four Pillow Cases	~	1	4
Three Old Table Cloths	~	3	~
One Paper Snuff Box	~	1	~
Also The Deceased's Books (to witt)			
Ten Books a Mariners Compass and a Quadrant	~	7	6
Also A parcel of Salt Beef	8	~	~
Also Due to the deceased on Account of Freight	7	~	~
Also The deceased's One Eighth Share of a Vessell called the Union but the Value of the deceased's said Share She this Exhibitant cannot speak to	} ~	~	~
Total		£73	16 11

The Full and true Account of the above Named Elizabeth Rogers as well of her Receipts as of her Payments Disbursements to and other Necessary Expences which she hath made disbursed and been at by reason of her being Administratrix as aforesaid followeth (to witt)

*The Charge*

This Accountant Chargeth herself with the severall Articles sett forth in the foregoing Inventory (Except the last Article thereof being the deceased's Share of the Ship Union) Amounting to the sum of	} 73	16	11
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*The Discharge*

This Accountant Craveth an Allowance of the Several Sums of Money by her paid laid out and Expended in and about the Funeral of the said Deceased and for Debts by him owing at his Decease and otherwise touching her Administratorship as followeth (to witt)	}		
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This Accountant craves an Allowance of the Sum of Seven Pounds	}		
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Twelve Shillings and Ten Pence so much being paid by her for the Expences of the deceased's Funeral	7	12	10
Also this Accountant craves an Allowance of the Sum of Two Pounds Three Shillings and Eight Pence so much being paid by her for the Charges of the Administration	2	3	8
Also this Accountant craves an Allowance of the Sum of Ten Shillings as much being paid by her to John Waleam for Appraising the deceased's Goods	~	10	~
Also this Accountant craves an Allowance of the Sum of Five Pounds so much being paid by her to William Gordon for Rent due for the deceased's Dwelling House	5	~	~
Also this Accountant Craves an Allowance of the Sum of One Pound Twelve Shillings and Six pence so much being paid by her to Nathan Hall Taylor	1	12	6
Also this Accountant craves an Allowance of the Sum of Six Pounds Six Shillings so much being paid by her to Richard Stephens Mariner for Wages	6	6	~
Also this Accountant craves and Allowance of the Sum of Two Pounds five Shillings so much being paid by her Capt <sup>m</sup> Bonnel for Dues to M <sup>r</sup> . Mayor	2	5	~
Also this Accountant craves an Allowance of the Sum of One Pounds Eight Shillings so much being paid by her for Piloting the deceased Vessel to Bristol	1	8	~
Also this Accountant craves an Allowance of the Sum of Fourteen Shillings and Eight Pence so much being paid by her to Joseph Short Cordwainer	~	14	8
Also this Accountant craves an Allowance of the Sum of One Pound Eleven Shillings so much being paid by her to Joseph Hone Mariner	1	11	~
Total	£29	3	8

Sworn in court this *Eliz Rogers*

28<sup>th</sup> day of July 1764

Before us

J. Camplin Sur      Witness      Jer Osborne

**Source** : EP/J/2/1/1764, BRO.

**(3) John Collins, mariner, City of Bristol, 1783.**

A true and perfect inventory of all and singular the Goods chattles and Credits which have come to the Hands Possession or Knowledge of William Bundy of the City and Diocese of Bristol Sailmaker as Administrator of John Collins late of the said city of Bristol Mariner deceased during the Minority of John Bundy Collins son of the said John Collins as follows (that is to say) -

3 Chairs	0	13	6
1 Table	0	10	0
1 Glass	0	6	0
1 bedside Carpet	0	1	6
1 bedstead & Curtains	2	5	0
1 bed & bolster	2	10	0
7 Chairs	2	4	4
1 Table	0	4	8
1 suit of bed curtains & 1 window curtain to match	3	12	0
1 wash hand Stand	0	3	6
1 looking Glass	2	3	0
1 Ditto	2	13	0
1 Table	1	5	6
1 Ditto	1	5	6
1 Ditto	1	10	6
7 Chairs	4	10	0
1 Pair of Blanketts	0	6	0
1 Ditto	0	7	6
1 blanket	0	3	10
1 Quilt	1	6	0
1 Ditto	0	2	10
1 Pair of Sheets	0	7	0
1 Ditto	0	7	0
1 Pair of Sheets	0	11	0
5 Pillow Cases	0	4	2
2 Table Cloths	0	2	2

3 Ditto	0	4	6
7 towels	0	3	6
7 Ditto	0	1	9
6 Knives & 6 Forks	0	1	6
3 Chairs	0	11	6
Lott of earthen ware	0	2	6
Ditto	0	2	10
Sundries	0	1	3
1 looking glass	1	7	0
1 Table	0	13	0
1 pair window curtains	1	2	0
1 tin fender	0	1	0
1 iron fender	0	1	3
1 Tea board	0	3	6
1 Tea Tray	0	6	6
1 sett of fire irons	0	3	10
1 pair of candlesticks	0	1	10
1 Ditto	0	1	10
1 lot of China	0	12	0
1 Ditto	0	4	2
1 lot of Earthenware	0	2	2
1 Ditto	0	1	3
1 Ditto	0	4	2
1 Ditto	0	3	2
1 Ditto	0	2	0
1 lot of Glassware	0	1	0
Sundries	0	1	0
1 lot of Tinware	0	1	2
1 Ditto	0	0	6
1 flying pan	0	1	1
5 Chairs	0	5	0
1 Kitchen grate	1	0	0
1 set of fire irons	0	2	0



1 Kittle	0	1	10
1 lot of tinware	0	1	4
	£37	18	7

Received of Gresley Blake & C<sup>o</sup> to a debt due from them } 28 5 6

And this Exhibitant doth declare that although he possessed himself of the before mentioned goods and chattles as Administrator of the said John Collins as aforesaid yet that the same properly belong (as this Exhibitant is advised) to the estate of Mary Collins deceased heretofore the Wife of the said John Collins who survived her said husband and was in Possession of the said Goods and Chattles and every Part thereof at the time of her Decease

Sworn in Court the } William Bundy  
 20<sup>th</sup> September 1783 before us }  
 J. Camplin Sur

The foregoing is a true Copy Examined with  
 the Original the 25<sup>th</sup> March 1784 by us  
 Will<sup>m</sup> Clarke  
 Lacon Berry

**Source** : EP/J/2/1/1783, BRO.

**(4) Thomas Smith, mariner, St. Augustine, 1773.**

A True and perfect Inventory of all and singular the Goods Chattels and Credits of Thomas Smith late of the City and Diocese of Bristol Mariner which since his Death have come to the Hands Possession and or knowledge of Eleanor Smith of the City of Bristol aforesaid Widow the Mother and also Administratrix with the Will annexed of the said deceased taken this Twenty Third Day of April One Thousand Seven Hundred and Seventy Three as follows (to wit)

The deceased's wearing Apparell and other Articles

Appraised by David Cherry Sworn Appraiser

	£	s	d
One old Brown Coat	0	4	0
One old Yellow Coat Waistcoat and Breeches	0	6	0
One other Coat Waistcoat and Breeches	1	5	6
Two old Blue Coats	0	5	6
One old blue Jacket, one old Green Jacket and one old Striped Waistcoat	0	1	6
One red nap Jacket	0	5	6
Three old pair of black Breeches	0	1	6
Four pairs of White Dimmety Breeches	0	10	0
Two pair of Flannel Drawers	0	0	6
One old striped Waistcoat, Two old black Waistcoats and one old pair of black Breeches	0	2	0
Four pairs of striped Trousers	0	1	6
Five old Check Shirts	0	9	0
Two old Holland Shirts	0	3	6
Two pairs of old Thread Stockings	0	1	0
One pair of old worsted Stockings and one pair of old thread Stockings	0	2	6
One Hat	0	4	0
Four worsted Night Caps	0	2	8
Twenty Six Damaged Handkerchiefs	0	2	2
Two old Linen pillow Cases	0	0	6
Two Sea Blankets	0	3	0
One old Cotton Table Carpet	0	3	0
One Piece of Printed Callico	1	1	0
One Matrass	0	5	0
Three Small Pewter Basins	0	2	0
One broken Quadrant / Hadley's/	0	10	6
Plate and Ivory appraised by Thomas Wigan			
One Silver Watch	2	0	0
One pair of Silver Shoe Buckles	0	11	0

One pair of Stone Knee Buckles set in Silver	0	8	0
One Breast Buckle	0	2	0
To the deceased's Moiety (in partnership with Mr. Simons) of the neat proceeds of Twenty Six Elephant's Teeth 0 <sup>c</sup> 3 <sup>st</sup> 1 <sup>lb</sup> at 9 <sup>£</sup> 9 <sup>s</sup> 0 <sup>d</sup>	3	1	7
To a Balance due to the deceased on his Account with the Owners of the Ship Betsey	43	14	6

This Exhibitant saith that the deceased was intitled to a distributive and proportionable share with this Exhibitant and her other Son and Daughter James Smith and Eleanor Smith of and in the Personal Estate and effects of Thomas Smith her this Exhibitant's late Husband deceased Intestate But as the said Thomas Smith the Father died abroad at the Havannah in the Island of Cuba and this Exhibitant hath not yet received any Account of his Effects, She cannot set forth what the said Thomas Smith the Son's Share thereof may be worth or amount unto.

This Exhibitant prayeth to retain in her Hands the Sums of Money by her paid laid out and expended for the deceased in his Life time And also such other Sums of Money as the deceased stood indebted to her at the time of his decease And also prayeth an Allowance for the several Sums of Money by her paid laid out and expended in and about her Administratrixship as followeth (to wit)

	£	S	D
To James Power the Taylor's Note	6	9	3
To Phillippa Palmer and Son for Cloaths for the deceased	2	2	0/4
To Eleven Weeks Board of the deceased from 25 <sup>th</sup> September 1769 to the 11 <sup>th</sup> December following at Eight Shillings p Week	4	8	0
To Moneys Lent the deceased at different times			

for Pocket expences	5	5	0
To Paid David Cherry for appraising the deceased's Wearing Apparel	} 0	3	6
To Paid Thomas Wigan for mending the deceased's Watch and Buckle	} 0	9	6

Sworn in Court Eliner Smith

The 15 May 1779

before us

J. Camplin Sur

Witness Rob Usken

Will<sup>m</sup> Clarke

Source : EP/J/2/1/1773, BRO.

## Victualler's inventory (1 example)

### (1) John Saunders, victualler, City of Bristol, 1783.

A full true perfect and particular inventory of All and singular the Goods Chattells and Creditts of John Saunders late of the City and Diocese of Bristol Victualler deceased intestate

which since his Death have come to the Hands Possession or Knowledge of Ann Saunders of the City and Diocese of Bristol Widow Relict and Administratrix of the Goods Chattells and Creditts of the said Deceased as follows viz.

The Deceaseds Household Goods Household Furniture  
Stock and Implements in Trade as taken and appraised  
by Cornelius Lowdin Sworn Broker the Nineteenth  
Day of May One Thousand Seven Hundred and Eighty  
In the Parlour

One Oak Table	0	7	0
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One Pillow ditto	0	4	0
One Deal ditto	0	1	6
Twelve Wood Chairs	1	16	0
One fire Shovel Tongs Poker and Fender	0	3	0
One Trippett	0	3	6
Three China Bowls	0	16	0
Eight Glasses	0	2	0
One Ship framed and Glazed	0	4	0

In the Closed

One Small sett of Castors with Silver Ferrells	0	10	0
One Mahogany Tea Chest	0	3	0
One Whip	0	3	0
Twelve pieces of Glass	0	2	0
Six Coffee Cupps	0	1	0
Eighteen Delf plates and Three Dishes	0	2	0
Two Small Waiters	0	1	6
Two GlaSs Jarrs	0	1	0
One Tea Pot	0	0	4
Three Check Window Curtains	0	4	0

In the one Story Room

One Feather Bed Bolster and Pillow Two Sheets Two Blankets and One Quilt	}	3	0	0
One Bedstead with Check Furniture		2	0	0
One Oak Desk		0	15	0
One Case of Drawers		0	18	0
One Mahogany Diving Table		1	11	6
One Box Ditto		0	15	0
One Looking Glass		0	6	0
One Swing Ditto		0	3	0
Six Wooden Chairs		0	18	0
One Night Stool		0	2	6
Two Window Curtains and Rods		0	5	0

Four BraSs Candlesticks		0	8	0
Six China Tea Cups and Five Saucers One Tea pot	}			
And One Bason		0	6	0
One Japan'd Tea Board		0	8	0
In the Back Room				
One Deal Chest		0	9	0
One Feather Bed Bolster and Bedstead with Green	}			
Furniture Three Blankets, Two Sheets and One Quilt		4	4	0
Four Old Chairs and One Deal Table		0	6	0
In the Little Room				
One Millpuff Bed and Bolster, One Blanket Two Sheets	}			
One Counterpane and One Beaureau Bedstead		1	10	0
In the Fore Room second Story				
One Millpuff Bed Two Sheets One Blanket Two Rugs	}			
and One Bedstead		1	10	0
One Mahogany Tea Tray		0	7	0
In the Back Room adjoining				
One Millpuff Bed and Bolster Two Sheets Two Rugs	}			
and One Bedstead		1	10	0
In the Kitchen				
One Grate Fire Slice Tongs Poker Fender and Trippett		2	10	0
One Spit and Racks		0	2	0
Ten Iron Candlesticks		0	3	8
One Steak Tongs and Two Forks		0	1	0
Twelve Pieces of Tin		0	6	0
Ten Pewter Quarts		0	15	0
Ten Ditto Pints		0	7	6
Nine Penny Pots		0	4	6
Two Copper Cups		0	3	0
One Copper Pot and Cover		0	6	0
Two Stew Pans		0	5	0
Two Tea Kettles		0	6	0
Two Sauce Pans		0	1	6

One Box Iron and Two Heaters	0	2	0
Three Settles	1	7	0
Two Deal Tables	0	6	0
Two Old Chairs	0	0	6

In the Barr

Two Silver Tankards weighing 36 Ounces at 5/1 P Ounce	9	0	0
Three Silver pints weighing 32 Ounces at 5/2 P Ounce	8	5	4
Two Silver Dobbins weighing 10 Ounces at 5/3 P ounce	2	12	6
One Punch Ladle	0	6	0
Two Silver Table Spoons and Two Silver Tea Spoons weighing 2 Ounces and 15 Pennyweights at 5/4 P ounce	0	15	8
Two Plate Cans	0	13	0
Two Plated Dobbins	0	8	0
Nine China Basons mostly Cracked	0	2	0
Fourteen Pieces of Glass	0	3	6
One Tin Sugar Cannister	0	2	0
Four Pewter measures	0	2	6
One Mahogany Hand Board	0	2	0
One Chair	0	4	4

In the Little Room

Six Wooden Chairs	0	15	0
Two Old Tables	0	4	0
One Cover Cupboard	0	3	0
One Looking Glass	0	1	6
Twenty Eight Pieces of Queens Ware	0	2	6

In the Brewhouse

Two Large Tubs	1	9	0
Three Pails One Wash Bottle Stand	0	6	0
One Brass Skimmer and Ladle	0	1	0
One Copper Cofee Pot	0	2	6
Three Coolers and Stand	1	10	0
Eight Small Tubs	0	10	0
One Buckel	0	1	0

One Brass Kettle	0	4	0
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In the Back Cellar

Twelve Barrells at 7/ each	4	4	0
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Four Small Casks at 3/ each	0	12	0
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Eight Barrells of Ale at £1,,8,,0 each	11	4	0
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Four Horses	0	10	0
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In the Fore Cellar

Six Barrells at 7/ each	2	2	0
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Six Barrells of Ale at £1,,8,,0 each	8	8	0
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Two Small Casks	0	5	0
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Three Horses	0	5	0
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A Mare and saddle and Bridle not valued by the Broker but worth at this Exhibitant hath been Informed and verily believes about	}	4	15	0
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A Small Quantity of Spirits not valued by the Broker but of about the Value as this Exhibitant hath been informed and verily believes of	}	0	16	0
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A Small Quantity of Hops not valued by the Broker but as this Exhibitant hath also been informed And verily believes of about the value of	}	1	0	0
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This Exhibitant Craveth and allowance for the several Sums of Money by her laid out and expended in and about obtaining Letters of Administration of the Goods Chattells and Creditts of her said late husband deceased and in and about his funeral expences as follow (viz)

To Cash paid for Letters of Administration of the Said deceased	}	4	14	6
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To paid Burial Fees		0	16	0
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To paid Thomas Dore                      Undertaker		5	5	0
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To paid Mr. Chittenden Apothecary for Attending deceased in his Illness and for Medicines	}	0	4	0
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This Exhibitant also Craveth and allowance for the several Sums



of Money by her paid to the several Creditors of the said deceased which were actually due and owing at the time of his Death as are herein after set forth (viz.)

1780

May 30 <sup>th</sup>	To paid Mr. Daniel Burges Attorney for Rent	13	0	0
June 10	To paid Mr. Whippeys Note for Hay	1	5	0
24	To paid Mr Wylde for Rent	12	0	0
July 14	To paid Mr Silcox Farriers Note	1	2	2
November 6 <sup>th</sup>	To paid Mr Herbert Breechemakers Note	0	8	0
17	To paid Mr Spencer Masons Note	0	14	6/2
1701 March 9 <sup>th</sup>	To paid Richard Wildgoose and Company Line	}	0	2
	Burners Note			
29	To paid Mr Fry Distillers Note	1	18	9
May 25	To paid Mr. Powell Smiths Note	0	4	6
26	To paid Mr. Fear Distillers Note	50	7	6
	To paid Messrs. Organ and Slocombe-Malster Note	50	1	8/2
	To paid Mr. Webb Coopers Note	1	16	11
	To paid Mr. Hill Distillers Note	1	4	0

This Exhibitant also Craveth and Allowance for the Charges And Expences she may be at or put unto in Exhibiting this her Inventory and account or otherwise touching her said Administratrixship

The Mark of

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Ann Saunders

Sworn open Court the  
22d Day of February 1783  
before us

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**Source** : EP/J/2/1/1783, BRO.

## Lower-value inventories (4 examples).

### (1) John Wright, merchant, City of Bristol 1694.

A true and perfect Inventory of all and singular  
the goods and Chattls<sup>vi</sup> rights debts and Credits of  
John Wright late of the City of Bristol<sup>vii</sup> Mercht<sup>viii</sup> decd<sup>ix</sup>  
taken and appraised this 6<sup>th</sup> day of December 1694  
by John Adlington and John Peters as foll<sup>x</sup>

	li	s	d
Imps The deceaseds wearing apparrell	00	10	00
It In ready money in the house	00	00	00
It One bed and bedsteed with Curtains & vallions and rug	01	15	00
It Six old chaires and an old Couch att	00	12	00
It three table clothes, three dozen of Napkins and four Towells att	00	05	00
It One sideboard cloth and bagg	00	01	00
It Three old paire of Sheetes and i pair of Cotton blankets	00	06	00
It One old Trunk and one old chest	00	06	00
It One pair of dogs with brass heads	00	02	00
It One paire of old window Curtaines	00	01	00
It Two stooles and two old chaires	00	02	00
It One little folding table	00	01	6
It One paire of brass slice and tongs	00	03	00
It One paire of brass Andirons	00	10	0
It Two pictures	00	01	0
It One Scriptor	00	06	0
It One Settle & Cup board	00	05	0
It One Little e brass fish plate	00	05	0
It One little brass pan & copper pan	00	05	0
It One old Crock	00	04	0
It three old chairs & one table	00	04	0
It One Old gowne fitted for the decd as a serjeant &c	01	-	-

It For one Mace

01	17	6
09	02	0

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A true just and pfect account of all and singuler  
the goods Chattles and Credits of John Wright within=  
named, which since his death have come to the hands  
possession<sup>xi</sup> or knowledge of Judith Gittoes of the Citty  
of Bristoll widow executrix of the last will & testam<sup>t</sup>  
of the within named John Wright and is as  
followeth (vizt )

The charge

Impr<sup>xiii</sup> This Accomptant chargeth herselfe with the  
sume of nine pounds and twoe shillings  
being the sume totall of the Inventory within  
written

}	li	S	d
}	09	02	0

The discharge . /

Imp<sup>s</sup> For psons<sup>xiii</sup> to attend the decd 28 weeks in his  
sickness att 5<sup>s</sup> p<sup>xiv</sup> weeke  
It<sup>xv</sup> paid for four Bushells & halfe of Mault att 4<sup>s</sup>  
& six pence p Bushell  
It paid the Collier for four dozen of Cole att 5<sup>s</sup> & 6<sup>d</sup> p  
dozen  
It more paid for two dozen of Candles  
It more paid for three Couple of Chicken  
It more paid for Ale att times  
It paid for sev<sup>xvi</sup> all small things att Sundry times  
It more paid to a Keeper for two weekes  
It To William Biggers Marriner being moneys  
borrowed by M<sup>r</sup> Wright in his life time  
It For his Shrowde & Coffin

}	li	s	d
}	07	00	00
}	01	00	3
}	01	02	0
}	00	12	0
}	00	03	0
}	00	05	0
}	01	10	0
}	00	08	0
}	06	00	0
}	01	12	0

It For breakeing the ground in the Church, burials & other charges thereabouts	}	03	03	9
It For wine		00	10	0
It For Gloves & hat bands		02	10	0
It For torches		00	06	0
It For a proctors Fee & proxy		00	04	4
It For draweing one part of the Inventory and stateing this account	}	-	05	6
It For the allowance of it & act		-	01	4
It paid to Mr Richard Yeamans for a debt due to him by bill under the hand & seale of the sd <sup>xvii</sup> John Wright	}	05	00	0
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		31	13	2
		<hr/>	<hr/>	<hr/>
		li	S	d
paid for proveing the deceaseds will		00	12	0
Due to Joane Merrett in London by bond under hand & seale of the deceased	}	<hr/>	<hr/>	<hr/>
		2	00	0
Due on the other side		<hr/>	<hr/>	<hr/>
		31	13	2
		<hr/>	<hr/>	<hr/>
Sum totall of Disbusem <sup>ts</sup> &c	}	<hr/>	<hr/>	<hr/>
		34	05	2

It The said Accountant doth declare that there is halfe a yeares rent due to the said deceased by his tenant in the Country, but what the exact sume is shee knoweth not, but declares that as soone as the same comes to her hand, shee wil be ready to charge herselfe therewith . /

*Judith IG Gittoes*  
her mke<sup>xviii</sup> / .

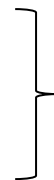
Source : EP/J/2/1/1695, BRO.

**(2) Neady Margaret, widow, City of Bristoll, 1748.**

A Full true and Perfect Inventory of all and Singular  
the Goods Chattles Rights and Creditts of Margaret Neady lat<sup>xix</sup>  
of the City of Bristoll Widow deced which Since her death  
have Come to the hands Custody possession or knowledge of  
of John Angier of the said City of Bristoll Merchant Executor  
named in the last Will & Testament of the said Margaret  
Neady as followeth (to witt)

One Old Bedstead & Matt	0	4	0
One Bed and Bolster and old Quilt sowed up in a Blankett	1	0	0
The Deceased's Picture without a frame	0	4	0
One old Fashioned Chest of Drowers	0	8	0
The Sum Totall of her Jwe	1	16	0

The Full and True Account of the abovenamed  
John Angier as well of his Receipts as of his Paym<sup>ts</sup>  
Disbursm<sup>ts</sup> and other necessary Expences which he  
hath made Disbursed and been at as followeth



The Charge

This Accountant Chargeth himself with the Severall  
Articles Sett forth in the foregoing Inventory amounting  
to the Sum of

}	1	16	0
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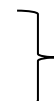
The Discharge

This Accountant Craveth an Allowance for the Deceased's Lodging  
and Boarding with him for the Space of Five Weeks at the Rate of Five  
Shillings p Week amounting to the Sum of

He also Craveth an Allowance for the Sum of Two pounds Eight shillings and  
Six pence being for Goods and Necessaries by this Accountant sold and delivered  
to the Deceased in her Life time

}	1	5	0
}	2	0	6

He also Craveth an Allowance for the Funeral Expences of the Deceased



Amounting to	15	19	4
Also for severall sums by him lent the deced in her lifetime on Notes & otherwise amounting to	24	8	6
He also Craveth an Allowance for the Charges he paid for proving the Deceaseds	}		
Will as also for the Charges he hath been and shall be at in Exhibiting this his			
Inventory and Account			

Also This Accountant sayth he hath heard there are Monies in the Hands of Onesiphonie Norman of Bristol Brewer belonging to the Estate of the Deceased on Account of Goods consign him from Jamaica And also on Account of Rents he received from some Houses in Bedminster But how much he cannot set forth But sayth when he hath received the same he will be ready to Account for the same

John Angier

**Source :** EP/J/2/1/1748, BRO.

**(3) Close Winburn , mariner, City and Diocese of Bristol, 1751.**

A true and perfect inventory of all and singular the goods and Chattels of Close Winburn late of the City and Diocese of Bristol mariner dece<sup>d</sup> exhibited this 23<sup>d</sup> day of December 1751 by Thomas Putham ~~late of the City and~~ Principal Creditor of the said deceased

To moneys due to the deat for	}	£	s	d	
His service on board the Queen Ann		6	0	0	Thomas Putham
Snow about					

In the King's Bench

Between Edward Hipsly Plt<sup>xx</sup>  
and  
James Brown Deft<sup>xxi</sup>

The Plt maketh Oath that the Deft is really and justly indebted to this Dep<sup>t</sup> in the sum of Eight Pounds of lawful British Money for Goods by this Dep<sup>t</sup> sold the Deft and Delivered to him or his Order and that the Deft is further indebted to him this

Dep<sup>t</sup> in the Sum of Five Pounds of Lawful British  
 money by Bill Drawn by Joseph White on the  
 Deft for Value received payable to this Dep<sup>t</sup> ~

Sworn at Bristol 4<sup>th</sup> day of July  
 1737 before me

**Source :** EP/J/2/1/1751, BRO.

**(4) Thomas Sherman, yeoman, Diocese of Bristol, Stapleton, 1771.**

A true perfect inventory of all singular  
 the Goods Chattels & Credits of Thomas Sherman  
 late of the parish of Stapleton in the County of  
 Gloucester & Diocese of Bristol Yeoman  
 deceased which since his Death have come to the  
 hand possession or Knowledge of Sarah Sherman  
 his widow & Relict & sole Executrix to the best of  
 her Remembrance Belief & by her by her Exhibited into  
 the Episcopal Court of Bristol the 6 day of July  
 1771 as follows Viz<sup>t</sup>

Money in the House at the time of the dec <sup>s</sup> death about	1	0	0
Household Goods			
One Bed, Bedstead & furniture	1	10	0
One case of Drawer	0	6	0
Two old chair	0	4	0
One Chest	0	4	0
One pair of Bellow	0	1	6
Two Pewter Dishes	0	2	6
Four pewter plates	0	2	0
Four Earthen plates	0	0	4
Four Trenchers	0	0	6
One Warming pan	0	1	6

One table	0	0	6
Two Stools	0	1	0
One Sauce Pan	0	1	6
One pair of Tongs	0	0	6

Part of which before mentioned goods the Exhibitant gave  
~~partly~~ to son <sup>Thos Sherman</sup> & the other parties was taken ~~by~~ for Rent due in the  
deceased life time

Three ~~Le~~ small cottages or Tenement hels by Lease a for  
The Lives of this Exhibitant & Thomas Sherman

Now let a the Sum of at the sum of 4: 10: 0 p Annum	1	0	0
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This Exhibitant craveth an allowance of the several  
Sum of Money paid laid out & expended by this Exihibitant  
in & about the funeral of the said otherwise e touching his  
Executorship as follow

Paid for funeral Expences	3	0	0
P.d for the late of the tribe	1	16	0

This exhibitant craveth and allowance ~~for~~ of all  
such sum & sum of money as shall pay in & about  
drawing ingrossing in this Inventory & account & other money necessary  
Charge relating thereto or otherwise occasioned by this pretended  
Suit

Sworn before us in  
Open Court the 6 day  
of July 1771

The Mark of  
II  
Sarah Sherman

J. Camplin Sur<sup>xxii</sup>

**Source** : EP/J/2/1/1771, BRO.



## Higher-value inventories (3 examples from the highest-value inventories in the ECP)

### (1) John Duval, wine-merchant, City of Bristol, 1729.

A true and perfect inventory of all and singular the Goods  
~~Chatells Rights and Credits~~ of and Appraisem<sup>xxiii</sup> of the Wines  
 which were in the Cellars or Vaults of John Duval late of  
 the City of Bristol Merch<sup>txxiv</sup> deced<sup>xxv</sup> taken and appraised this  
 16<sup>th</sup> day of June 1729 by John Owens and Rob<sup>txxvi</sup> Saunders

	£	s	d
In the Vault under the deceds House			
One Pipe of old Port Wine	30	--	--
One Hogshead of old Port Wine	14	--	--
Eighteen doz of French Claret at 1,, 12,, 6 p <sup>xxvii</sup> Dozen	29	5	--
Twenty seven Pipes of new Port at 26,, 10,, p Pipe	715	10	--
Old Hogshead of French Claret	30	--	--
In the Vault under M <sup>r</sup> Goodings House			
Eighteen Pipes of new Port at 26,, 10,, p Pipe	477	--	--
In the Two Vaults under Ad <sup>m</sup> Alderm <sup>xxxviii</sup> Bechers House			
Thirty seven Pipes of new Port at 26,, 10 p Pipe	980	10	--
In the Vault under Cap <sup>t</sup> . Williams's House			
Thirteen Pipes of new Port at 26,,10,, p Pipe	344	10	
	2620	15	
Rob <sup>xxix</sup> Saunders			
Jn <sup>o</sup> Ovens			
In precesentia meu			
Jo <sup>xxx</sup> Hipny No <sup>yxxxi</sup> Pub <sup>eixxxii</sup>			

Source : EP/J/2/1/1729, BRO.

### (2) William Poole, Malster, Diocese of Bristol, 1778.

A true and perfect Inventor and account of all and  
 singular the goods Chattels and Credits of William

Poole late of the Parish of Saint Philip and Jacob  
in the county of Gloucester and Diocese of Bristol  
Malster deceased which since his Death have come  
to the Hands Possession or knowledge of Susannah

Clagton widow ( the Excutreise) as followeth and by her exhibited in the Registry  
of the Episcopal court of Bristol the 14<sup>th</sup> Day of November 1770

The Stock in trade hereinafter mentioned was sold at the several  
Rates or Prices following that is to say

1649 1/2 Bushels of malt in stock	£	s	d	One Flock Bed and Bolster	1	4	-
and sold to sundry persons as per addt	321	6	8	One milpuff Bed and Bolser	-	16	-
& p u of Hops				Two pillows	-	3	-
Hops in Stock & sold Rich <sup>d</sup> Packer	5	14	7	One Quilt	-	7	-
Do sold to Ron Dniver	2	13	-	Two Blankets	-	6	-
				One Sheet	-	5	-

The Household goods and utensils in  
Trade herein after mentioned were taken valued and  
appraised at the several rates or paid following

In the garrett

One old corded bedstead - 1 -

In the fore Room & Story

One mahogany case of Drawers 1 - -  
One swinging glass - 10 -  
One dressing D<sup>o</sup> - 7 -  
Six Rush bottom chairs - 6 -  
Six D<sup>o</sup> - 8 -  
One dressing Table - 2 -  
One Feather Bed and Bolster 1 11 6  
One Chest - 6 -  
One Iron Fender - 2 -

In the other room adjoyning

One old Bedstead and Furniture - 7 -

In the Little Room

One old Furrup bedstead - 2 -  
One old spolted Rug - 2 6  
One Close Stool - 6 -  
One old Pillow - 3 -

In the Parlour

One Eight Day Clock 4 10 -  
One mahogany case of Drawers 3 3 -  
One mahogany Square Table 1 4 -  
One D<sup>o</sup> Card Table - 12 -  
One D<sup>o</sup> Tray - 2 6  
One Sconce glass - 18  
Six wooden bottom chairs - 16 -  
Six D<sup>o</sup> - 12 -  
Thirteen Pieces of White glass - 3 3  
One Pieces of Painting over the  
chimney } - 3 -

In the Kitchen				Two Kilderkins and two firkins	3	8	0
One Fish Kettle & Copper Cover	-	10	-	Two Kilderkins and a Jundish	-	5	-
One Copper Pot and cover	-	9	-	One Horse cast & Harness in the year	7	7	-
One small pot	-	4	-	Eleven Fowls	-	9	-
Two chocolate pots	-	3	-	In the Malt House			
One Saucepan and cover	-	2	6	One shovel Barr spade and Riddle	-	3	-
Four Brass Candlesticks & candle box	-	2	6	One malt screen bushel bucket	}		
One brass warming pan	-	3	-	and waterpot		-	7
Three pewter Dishes & Plates	-	4	-	A sacking bottom Bedstead & 2 curtains	-	10	-
One oval table and carpet	-	2	6	One How 2 shovels & a lot of sumber	-	2	6
One oak tea table	-	5	-	Two Pecks and old faw	-	1	-
Two leather bottom chairs and	}			Two wooden Coaches for carrying sacks	-	3	-
one Windsor chair		-	4	-	One Bushel Deck and Shike	-	3
One small looking glass	-	1	6	One malt skreen	-	10	-
One fire shovel Tongs and Poker	-	3	-	A lot of Sundays	-	1	6
Two shovels tongs and Piece of a	}			Four malt shovels and two baskets	-	2	-
Poker		-	2	-	Twenty six socks more or less	1	-
One Iron Trippett	-	2	6	Linnen			
One Pair of Shilards	-	4	-	One Dresser cloth & Bacaklast Cloth	-	2	6
One Iron Spit	-	-	9	One old pillow case & two old curtains	-	-	6
In the back kitchen				One old sheet	-	3	-
One Ironing board and	-	2	6	One pair of sheets	-	4	6
Two Pewter Dishes and nine Plates	-	7	-	One towel and two rubbing cloths	-	-	6
One gridiron	-	1	6	One old oak Eye Drawers	-	8	-
Three old pewter plates	-	1	-	One table cloth	-	2	-
One small oval Table	-	1	6	China			
One stewpan saucepan and skimmer	-	2	6	Five China Basons broke and whore	-	4	-
Three brewing Tubs	-	6	-	Two China Tea Potts	-	1	-
Two wash tubs	-	2	6	Twelve Pieces of different sorts of china	-	2	6
One old iron pott	-	1	-	One old tea board	-	-	9
One pail and lade pail	-	1	6	Plate			
One meshing stick huckmuck & ladder	-	1	-	One Tankard	6	13	1

In the Cellar				One silver watch	2	2	-
One Prker cask & two brass cocks	-	8	-	Two Table spoons	1	-	-
				Three Tea spoons	-	6	-

Upon the Balance of account

An account of monies received for debts due				Charles Tilly	-	8	3
to the deceased of the sume of his Death from				Francis Peacock	5	7	6
the several persons hereinafter mentioned vizt				Daniel Cribb	20	17	8
Cash received of Samuel Gay	1	9	6	Benjyamin Watkins	1	1	-
of W <sup>m</sup> . Tilly	-	5	-	Mary Hannum	1	18	10 <sup>1/2</sup>
of Jacob Player	-	18	8	Jacob Parker	5	17	-
of E Sacey	-	3	4	Nathan Bally	8	19	1 <sup>3/4</sup>
of Robert Castle	10	10	-	Sam Smith	9	2	10
of John July	14	-	2	George Jeffries	2	7	2
of John Lawrence	1	1	-	Charles Challisum	1	4	7 <sup>1/2</sup>
of Sam <sup>e</sup> . Johnson	-	3	-	John Emery	3	9	10 <sup>1/2</sup>
of Jos Burges	-	4	-	Mary Edwards	1	5	2
of G Smith	-	17	-	John Baker	17	6	-
of Sam Johnson	8	10	-	Jas Harding	10	5	6
of M. Brouy	-	10	-	Jas Harding Schoolmaster	1	3	11 <sup>1/2</sup>
of wm Phillips	1	4	6	Issac Hewlett	5	1	4
				John Roach	15	2	6
				John Jagg	5	6	1
				John Tagg Jan	2	9	5
				Mrs Gotley	1	13	8 <sup>1/2</sup>
				Laurence Tomas	2	3	-
Debts due and owing from the several persons				Johnson-	-	3	-
hereinafter mentioned to the Estate of the said				Joseph Smith	17	1	-
William Poole deceased which this Exhibitant				Richard Bayle	3	15	-
Protests against being changed with untile the				Robert Grist	-	10	-
shall receive the same				Joseph Bruges	-	4	-
From William Gibson	17	9	8	William Peacock	1	9	4
Cornelius Harris	7	8	10	Joseph Snary	1	4	-

William Carpenter	11	11	13	John Cryer	-	3	-
Jas Gage	2	4	-	Charles Marlin	4	10	10
Samuel Plumly	2	-	3	Ann Phripps	4	12	8
From Thomas Jeffries	31	7	4	From Mrs Baynton	-	10	-
John Ford	9	-	2	Barnaby Hawkins	1	2	6
James Edgell	5	18	1 <sup>1/2</sup>	James Pike	1	14	10
Benjamin Attwood	-	6	-	Anthony Laney	-	6	9
Frederick Yeamans	3	0	9	Nathaniel Hopkins	-	18	4
William Barnett	4	10	-	Turner and Toye	12	15	-
John Barnes	4	9	9	Ann Jones	-	10	-
Thomas Ponting	14	15	4 <sup>1/2</sup>	John Adams	6	15	-
Robert Castle	10	8	10	John Young	-	5	-
Joseph Hill	1	18	1	John Lawrence	13	2	9
Elizabeth Powell	5	12	6	D Baown	-	10	-
Jonathan Whitehwich	1	17	-	Thomas Daly	-	11	6
John Tyly	14	0	2	John Thomas	-	8	4 <sup>1/2</sup>
William Tilly	-	3	4	John Edwards	-	9	7
Aaron Pullen	4	1	3	James Pearce	2	3	4
Ricard Dunn	5	18	-	Faneis Smith	1	4	-
Samuel Welton	80	8	5	Ann Millett	2	9	6
William Driver	11	19	2	Samuel Beats	1	4	-
George Fownes	29	5	-	James Bartlett	2	15	8
Jacob Player	-	18	8	Banister Pugh	1	1	-
William Brown	51	1	8	Samuel Spell	1	2	3
David Lewis	22	3	4	Mr. White	1	1	4
Hester Maggs	13	17	6 <sup>1/2</sup>	Mr. Thurston	2	0	3 <sup>1/2</sup>
Jules Smith	-	17	-	Robert Read	1	9	4 <sup>1/2</sup>
William Ridge	21	1	1/2	Francis Leonard	-	3	9 <sup>1/2</sup>
Francis Eveleigh	261	17	10	Benjamin George	9	9	-
W <sup>m</sup> . Hulbert	-	13	6	Hugh Riggs	2	2	6
Robert Witherill	-	15	4	Thomas Action	16	6	5
Joseph Grindell	1	18	2	John Aishton	6	15	-

William Ball	5	-	-	Thomas Jones	1	4	9
Widow Smith	-	8	1	John Perkins	3	9	-
				John Hitchcock	36	11	-

Paid

From Hocky Harden	-	10	-	John Wards Drass to Bonbonous	30	-	-
William Gayner	8	2	4	The deceds note to W <sup>m</sup> . Keen	20	10	-
Timothy Roach	-	14	9	Excise 21. 13. 2 <sup>1/2</sup>	} 178	17	10 <sup>3/4</sup>
William Gotley	7	12	2	Do 72. 4. 5 <sup>1/4</sup>			
Joseph Stokes	21	5		Do 85. -. 3			
Henry Parmyter	10	10	4	Henry Jones for coals	1	-	7 <sup>1/2</sup>
John Alker	9	1	0 <sup>1/2</sup>	Thos Jeffries for Barley	9	9	-
John Powell	37	8	8	Thos Bracey for meat	1	1	8 <sup>1/2</sup>
John Grindell	-	9	6	John Horse man for Gurnpikes	1	5	4
Isaac Coltle	-	8	9	William Birte Carpenter	1	4	10 <sup>1/2</sup>
David Thomas	-	5	4 <sup>1/2</sup>	Henry Cornerford accountant	3	16	6
Richard Peach	-	10	6	John Price for work	-	3	8 <sup>1/2</sup>
Robert Jones Baker	1	-	-	Same Leanard for Taxes	-	8	6
W <sup>rm</sup> Smith watchmaker	1	2	6	Henry Stone for Barley	4	8	6
P Parrott Brick sheet	2	10	4	Giles Smith for Barley	14	7	7 <sup>1/2</sup>
William Weikes	6	-	-	Samuel Tippett for rent	8	10	-

And this Exhibitant saith that against many of these Balances there are accounts unsettled & standing open between the estate of the deced and the several persons therefore the exact sums due to the said deceased estate from them cannot be ascertained

This Exhibitant craveth an allowance of the several sums of money by her paid out and expended in and about the funeral of the deceased and otherwise touching her Executorship as follows that is to say

Paid Funeral expences	26	10	9	Mr Hart for Tythes	-	2	-
				Mr. Roach	20	-	-
				Samuel Gay for Halts	1	11	6
				Samuel Johnson	8	7	-
				Joseph Burges	5	14	6
				William Tilly	4	-	-
				E Sacey	-	11	6
				W Merrall	-	14	10
				D Brown Taylor	-	10	-
				Thos Jeffries in past of a	} 20	10	-
				Note of L 41			
				W <sup>m</sup> Phillips for Rent	5	5	-

The deceased note to In Loawent	54	17	-	Excise	35	2	2 <sup>3/4</sup>			
John wards Drast to Nibelett	30	-	-	D <sup>o</sup>	14	13	4			
Paid Expences attending Sale ve	5	10	-	Paid Mr. Driver for money	20	-	-			
Mr. Fownes for Rent	29	5	-	Delivered To William Brown	}	}	}			
Mr, Jane for appraising	}	}	}	after the deseased's Death						
Goods and distribution				1				1	-	in Part of Debt owing by
Hand Bills										the deceased to sum 515
for advertazing in the	}	}	}	Bushels of malt at	85	16	8			
four papers				2	8	-	3/4 per bushel			
Maid Sewants wages	3	10	-	Paid Walker and Jones	}	}	}			
Two men Sewants <sup>s d</sup>	}	}	}	for coal				1	13	8 1/2
wages a month each at 8/6				3	8	-	Henry Comerford	}	}	}
per weej				Accomptant	-	7	6			
A Manin the House at	}	}	}	D <sup>o</sup>	-	3	-			
4 <sup>s</sup> pr weeks for 24 weeks				4	16	-				

This Exhibitant craveth an allowance of all such sum and sums of Money as she shall expend lay out or be put onto in and about drawing ingrossing and exhibiting this inventory and account and other necessary Charges relating thereto or otherwise occasioned by this pretended suit on any other suit or suits action or actions to be brought against her in this or an other courts or courts of law or equity whatsoever as

Execuhix of the last will and testament of the said deceased eeeeeeeeeee  
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the Mark of

Sworn in Court the 17<sup>th</sup>  
 day of November 1778 before as  
 Hamplin Sur

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 Susannah Clayton

Source : EP/J/2/1/1778, BRO.

**(3) Francis Jaques, Baker, city and Diocese of Bristol, 1783.**

A full true perfect and particular Inventory of All and singular the goods Chattells and Creditts of Francis





28	By d <sup>o</sup> of Sam <sup>l</sup> Span Esq <sup>r</sup> for D <sup>o</sup>	352	19	-
Oct <sup>r</sup> 2	By d <sup>o</sup> of M <sup>r</sup> Cotton for D <sup>o</sup>	14	15	-
1781				
March 15	By Cash Reced of M <sup>rs</sup> Oldway for Biscuit	10	12	-
June 23	By D <sup>o</sup> of M <sup>r</sup> Broom for Bread	17	16	-
	By D <sup>o</sup> of M <sup>r</sup> Lamb for D <sup>o</sup>	6	9	6
Sep <sup>r</sup> 14	By D <sup>o</sup> of M <sup>r</sup> Evans for D <sup>o</sup>	8	16	6
Oct 9	By D <sup>o</sup> of for 2 Horses	7	7	-
	By D <sup>o</sup> of M <sup>r</sup> . Chillcot for Bread	-	12	9
	By D <sup>o</sup> of M <sup>r</sup> Young for D <sup>o</sup>	-	10	6
	By D <sup>o</sup> of Sundry small debts	5	-	-
	By D <sup>o</sup> of Capt <sup>n</sup> Hayington	7	13	11
	By D <sup>o</sup> of M <sup>r</sup> . McCarthy for Bread	11	11	6
	By D <sup>o</sup> for Empty Sacks	11	-	-

This Exhibitant Craveth an Allowance for the Several Sums of Money by her laid out and expended in and about The Proving the Will

obtaining Letters of Administration of the Goods Chattells and Creditts of her said late Husband deceased and in and about his Funeral Expences <sup>^</sup> and for the several Sums of Money by her paid to the several Creditors of the said deceased which were actually due and owing at the time

1779				
Oct <sup>r</sup> . 11	To Cash p <sup>d</sup> Lady Gordon for faggots	£ 21	3	6
	To D <sup>o</sup> Samuel Danzey for Walling th <sup>e</sup> same	3	3	-
Dec <sup>r</sup> . 2	To D <sup>o</sup> Tho <sup>s</sup> Wigan for Interest on £500 for 1/2 Year	12	10	-
28	To D <sup>o</sup> Sam <sup>l</sup> King for Glazeing	6	6	11
	To D <sup>o</sup> M <sup>r</sup> Lewis for M <sup>r</sup> Jacques's Lodging	5	13	4
1780 Feb 5	To D <sup>o</sup> John Evans & Son for Deals	50	-	
24	To D <sup>o</sup> Will <sup>m</sup> Leigh for Halling	-	13	4
	To Do W <sup>m</sup> Radford for Halling	-	9	-
	To D <sup>o</sup> Tho <sup>s</sup> Aldridge for Rope	2	-	6

Feb 2	To D <sup>o</sup> John Savage for Salt	7	5	-
8	To D <sup>o</sup> M <sup>rs</sup> . Barry for Rent of a Bake house	5	-	-
	To D <sup>o</sup> Geo <sup>xliv</sup> Guinett for Flour	41	3	-
	To D <sup>o</sup> D <sup>r</sup> Moncrieff for Attending M <sup>r</sup> Jacques	2	2	-
	To D <sup>o</sup> Rich <sup>d</sup> Phillips for Burial of D <sup>o</sup>	1	16	10
	To D <sup>o</sup> M <sup>r</sup> Neat for Meat	2	19	-
12	To D <sup>o</sup> M <sup>r</sup> Wigan for Linnen &c	1	5	2
24	To D <sup>o</sup> Sam <sup>l</sup> Thompson for Shoes	-	17	3
	To D <sup>o</sup> John Tilladams for Schooling	2	4	-
March 10 <sup>th</sup>	To D <sup>o</sup> M <sup>r</sup> Bowen Funeral Expences	4	9	-
13	To D <sup>o</sup> M <sup>r</sup> Robson for Carpentering	5	14	3
16	To D <sup>o</sup> Tho <sup>s</sup> Parsons for Flour	16	10	-
31	To D <sup>o</sup> Mr Edolls for Interest on £350 for 1/2 Year	8	15	-
April 3	To D <sup>o</sup> W <sup>m</sup> Luois for flour	5	12	-
4	To D <sup>o</sup> John Morgan for Cloth	3	7	-
6	To D <sup>o</sup> John Snook for Flour	10	10	-
15	To D <sup>o</sup> John Roach for Sundry's Carpentering	1	3	2
23	To D <sup>o</sup> D <sup>r</sup> Banett for attending M <sup>r</sup> Jacques	1	11	6
24	To D <sup>o</sup> John Bowdem for keeping Horses	2	16	6
June 6	To Cash paid Rob <sup>t</sup> Southey for Bed hanging	8	19	5
7	To <sup>^</sup> D <sup>o</sup> Francis Evereligh for Flour	11	1	8
	To D <sup>o</sup> Evan Evans for Bricks	1	-	-
	To D <sup>o</sup> M <sup>r</sup> Beckett for accompt Book	-	16	-
10	To D <sup>o</sup> Tho <sup>s</sup> Farley for Salt	25	14	9
15	To D <sup>o</sup> Dan <sup>l</sup> <sup>xlv</sup> Woodruffee for flour	30	-	-
	To D <sup>o</sup> Thomas Stephenson for D <sup>o</sup>	50	-	-
16	To D <sup>o</sup> Rich <sup>dxlvi</sup> Large for D <sup>o</sup>	24	11	-
19	To D <sup>o</sup> M <sup>r</sup> Wigan for Interest of £500 1/2 year	12	10	-
22	To D <sup>o</sup> Benjamin Carter for Flour	27	16	-
24	To D <sup>o</sup> M <sup>rs</sup> Edolls for Interest on £350 1/4 year	4	7	6
27	To D <sup>o</sup> John Chivers for Flour	50	-	-
July 11	To D <sup>o</sup> Edward Forward for Interest and part of a Bond debt		55	-

13	To D <sup>o</sup> John Wood for Cleaning the Clock	-	4	6
	To D <sup>o</sup> Thomas Prisk for Shoes	-	7	9
	To D <sup>o</sup> Edw <sup>dxlvii</sup> Young & C <sup>o</sup> for Flour	2	19	4
19	To D <sup>o</sup> Samuel Jenkins for D <sup>o</sup>	62	3	6
	To D <sup>o</sup> Mess <sup>rs</sup> Garnetto & C <sup>o</sup> for Timber	3	8	4
22	To D <sup>o</sup> Thomas Vaughan for Faggots	6	-	9
27	To D <sup>o</sup> Mess <sup>rs</sup> Slade Baker & Son for Crockering	16	17	8
August 5	To D <sup>o</sup> Edw <sup>d</sup> Fidoc for Lead &c	10	-	-
Sep <sup>r</sup> 4	To D <sup>o</sup> Henry Prior for Flour	7	13	-
14	To D <sup>o</sup> Rob <sup>t</sup> Sayer for grinding Corn & E	3	-	6
29	To D <sup>o</sup> M <sup>rs</sup> Eddols for Interest on £350 1/4 year	4	7	6
Oct <sup>r</sup> 2	To D <sup>o</sup> Benjamin Cotton for upholstring	18	7	-
11	To D <sup>o</sup> Mess <sup>rs</sup> M <sup>c</sup> Carthy & Vaughan Salesmen	3	13	6
Dec <sup>r</sup> 2	To D <sup>o</sup> M <sup>r</sup> Wigan for Interest on £500 1/2 year	12	10	-
1781 Jan <sup>ry</sup> 4	To Cash paid Tho <sup>s</sup> Stephenson for Flour	30	-	-
Feb 7	To D <sup>o</sup> Laz <sup>sxlvi</sup> Brown for Painting	4	15	-
9	To D <sup>o</sup> Mess <sup>rs</sup> Jones & C <sup>o</sup> for Iron work	9	6	9
March 16	To D <sup>o</sup> Mary Halloway for Tayloring	14	12	-
16	To D <sup>o</sup> Edw <sup>d</sup> Fidoc for Lead &c	14	14	5
April 3	To D <sup>o</sup> Mess <sup>rs</sup> Stephens & Jones for Stone	2	9	2
	To D <sup>o</sup> John King for Old Timber	7	7	-
June 2	To D <sup>o</sup> M <sup>r</sup> Wigan for Interest on £500 1/2 year	12	10	-
July 7	To D <sup>o</sup> Mess <sup>rs</sup> Bush & Elton for Coppering	2	5	6
16	To D <sup>o</sup> Tho <sup>s</sup> Price for Malt	5	14	9
21	To D <sup>o</sup> Edw <sup>d</sup> Forward for Interest on £200 1/2 year	10	-	-
	To D <sup>o</sup> Mess <sup>rs</sup> Bence Lockyer & C <sup>o</sup> for Mahogany	1	9	9
Sep <sup>r</sup> 29	To D <sup>o</sup> M <sup>rs</sup> Eddols for Interest on £350 3/4 year	13	2	6
Dec <sup>r</sup> 18	To D <sup>o</sup> M <sup>r</sup> Wigan for Interest on £500 1/2 year	12	10	-
1782 Jan <sup>ry</sup> 17	To D <sup>o</sup> M <sup>r</sup> Wigan for Interest on £500 1/2 year	12	10	-
Feb 18	To D <sup>o</sup> John Leaver for Pease	6	13	-
March 1	To D <sup>o</sup> John J <sup>os</sup> Bildridge & Son for Wine &c	2	13	-
June 28	To D <sup>o</sup> Edw <sup>d</sup> Forward in part of a Bond Debt			

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	and Interest	60	-	-
	To D <sup>o</sup> John Broom for Ironmongery	50	13	-
	To D <sup>o</sup> Mess <sup>rs</sup> Grindell & Lamb for Plaster	14	7	
Sep <sup>r</sup> 14	To D <sup>o</sup> David Evans for keeping Horses	29	1	2
Oct <sup>r</sup> 9	To D <sup>o</sup> Mess <sup>rs</sup> Evans & Son for Deals	20	0	-
Dec <sup>r</sup> 21	To D <sup>o</sup> M <sup>rs</sup> Eddolls for Interest on £218 9,, 6 for 1 1/4 year	} 13	13	9
1783 May 29	To Cash p <sup>dxlix</sup> Dan <sup>l</sup> Burges the Lawyer	53	12	-
June 10	To D <sup>o</sup> Edw <sup>d</sup> Forward for Interest on £150 for 1 Year	} 7	10	-
	To D <sup>o</sup> Edw <sup>d</sup> Forward in part of a Bond Debt	50	-	
	To D <sup>o</sup> Mr Wigan for Interest on £500 for 1/2 year	} 12	10	-
	To D <sup>o</sup> John Weekes as p Note	102	4	7
12	To D <sup>o</sup> Rob <sup>t</sup> Guiland for keeping Horses	-	9	-
24	To D <sup>o</sup> M <sup>rs</sup> Edolls for Int <sup>l</sup> on £218,, 9,, 6 for 1/2 year	} 5	9	3
	To left unpaid to M <sup>r</sup> Forward in part of a Bond Debt	} 100	-	-
	To D <sup>o</sup> M <sup>r</sup> Parker for Proving the Will	4	18	
		1767	10	6

This Exhibant also craveth an Allowance for the Charges and Expences she may be at or put unto in exhibiting this her Inventory and Account or otherwise touching her said Executatrixship.

Martha Jacques

An Account of Debts due to the Estate of Francis

Jacques deceased at the time of his decease and now outstanding

M <sup>r</sup> W <sup>m</sup> Sleaddon	Bristol	£5	16	9	
M <sup>r</sup> James Weekes	Bristol	17	4	1	
M <sup>r</sup> Cole	Bristol	Bad	3	10	0
M <sup>rs</sup> Rogers Widow	D <sup>o</sup>	Bad	3	13	0

M <sup>rs</sup> Worth deceased late of Bristol	Bad	8	12	0
M <sup>rs</sup> Jones		4	10	0
M <sup>r</sup> George Roach Hallier of Bristol deceased		6	11	9
M <sup>r</sup> Germin		5	0	0
M <sup>r</sup> Cooling	Bad	4	18	2
M <sup>r</sup> Musgrave Highington	Bad	122	18	9
M <sup>r</sup> Standfast Perrott of Bath		22	18	9
M <sup>r</sup> Tho <sup>s</sup> Fussel		3	3	0
M <sup>rs</sup> Eliz. <sup>li</sup> Eddolls now the wife of said Standfast Perrottt		5	5	0
M <sup>r</sup> Rob <sup>t</sup> W <sup>m</sup> Parret		5	5	0
John Devonshire late of the Hotwells		1	7	0
M <sup>r</sup> John Fowler Cap <sup>t</sup>		5	13	9
M <sup>r</sup> Charles Corsett		6	0	0

Sworn in Court

Martha Jacques

26<sup>th</sup> July 1783 before us

J Camplin Sur

**Source** : EP/J/2/1/1783, BRO.

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- i deceased's
  - ii Shillings
  - iii Captain
  - vi Chattels
  - vii Bristol
  - viii Merchant
  - ix deceased
  - x follows
  - xi possession
  - xii Imprimis=First
  - xiii persons
  - xiv per
  - xv Item
  - xvi sever
  - xvii said
  - xviii mark

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xix	late
xx	Plaintiff
xxi	Defendant
xxii	Surrogate
xxiii	Appraisement
xxiv	Merchant
xxv	deceased
xxvi	Robert
xxvii	per
xxviii	Alderman
xxix	Robert
xxx	John
xxxi	Notary
xxxii	Public
xxxiii	Vizit
xxxiv	Octorber
xxxv	Ditto
xxxvi	Ton
xxxvii	Recieved
xxxviii	Samuel
xxxix	Esquire
xl	Captain
xli	William
xlii	Thomas
xliii	William
xliv	George
xlv	Daniel
xlvi	Richard
xlvii	Edward
xlviii	Lazarus
xlix	paid
l	Interest
li	Elizabeth