

**Probate, NC, Cumberland, James Turner 1804**

We the under subscribers being appointed by the county court of Cumberland to lay off to Mrs. **SARAH TURNER** Widow of the late **JAMES TURNER** deceased her one third part of the lands of the said deceased and then to divide the remainder between the heirs of said deceased.

First beginning with the Widow's dower to the beginning and running as follows viz:

Beginning at a stake at the mouth of the lane running South  $46^{\circ}$  West 16 chains to his stake at the head of the same; thence South  $86^{\circ}$  West as the road 31 chains to a stake; thence south 18 and a half East 30 chance; thence South  $60^{\circ}$  East 38 chains 75 links; thence North  $17\frac{1}{2}$  East three chains; thence North 37 and a half East 38 chains and 50 links to a stake three gums and a maple pointer; thence North  $72\frac{1}{2}$  West five chains calling for a persimmon; thence North  $17\frac{1}{2}$  East 9 chains 50 links to a stake; thence North  $47\frac{1}{2}$  West 27 chains and 50 links to the beginning containing 211 acres.

Also One Lot No. 1  $42\frac{1}{2}$  acres valued at \$106 $\frac{1}{4}$  belonging to **CHARLOTTE TURNER** beginning at a red oak near the beaver dam the beginning corner of the 85 Acres running South  $22\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$  West 18 chains to a pine; thence North  $47\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$  West 25 chains and 25 links to a stake; thence North  $22\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$  East 18 chains; thence to the beginning.

One Lot No. 2  $52\frac{1}{2}$  acres valued at \$105 belonging to **HENRY TURNER** also one Lot No. 87 in Averagesburgh valued at \$10 the land beginning and running as follows: beginning at a stake running North  $47\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$  West 30 chains and 50 links to **DAVID SMITH's** line then says his Line North  $22\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$  East 18 chains; thence South  $47\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$  East 30 chains and 50 links to a stake; thence to the beginning.

One Lot No. 3 42 Acres valued at \$105 belonging to **JANNETT TURNER** beginning at a hickory a corner of the 300 acres running North  $17\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$  East 15 chains and 50 links to a stake then north  $60^{\circ}$  West 38 chains 75 links to a stake; thence South  $32\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$  West 8th chance to a stake; thence to the beginning

One Lot No. 4  $38\frac{1}{2}$  acres valued at \$154 with the fishery valued at \$5 belonging to **ALEXANDER MCALLISTER** and wife beginning at a stake in the road on the 5th line of the 300 acre Track Running south  $18\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$  East 30 chains to a stake; thence South  $22\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$  West 8 chains to a stake; thence North  $47\frac{1}{2}$  West 18 chains to a stake on **SMITH's** line; thence North  $22\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$  East for chains to a red oak stump; thence North  $47\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$  West 10 chains and 50 links to a stake; thence to the beginning.

One Lot No. 5 60 Acres valued at \$121 belonging to **WINNIFRED TURNER** beginning at a stake in the road running North  $42\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$  East 38 chains 50 links to a stake thence South  $47\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$  East 23 chains 13 links to a stake in the mouth of the lane; thence the land South  $46^{\circ}$  West 15 chains and 50 links to a stake then as the roads to the beginning.

One Lot No. 6 200 Acres valued at \$100 and one town lot in Averagesburgh No. 77 valued at \$15 belonging to **SARAH WHITMILL TURNER** the land lying on the Bitch Swamp beginning at a white oak about 30 poles east of **ROBERT SMITH's** line running North  $30^{\circ}$  East 45 chains to a stake between two Pines; thence north  $60^{\circ}$  West 45 chains to a blackjack; thence South  $30^{\circ}$  West 45 chains; thence to the beginning.

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Being all the lands shown us by The Heirs of the said deceased given under our hands this 20th day of December 1806.

**ISAAC WILLIAMS**

**P. HODGES**

**WILLIAM SMITH**

**JOEL WILLIAMS, SR.**

**JOHN SMITH**

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An account of sales of the estate of **JAMES TURNER**, deceased, sold November 9<sup>th</sup>, 1804.

**JOHN BELL  
MALCOM BOHANNON  
FARQUHARD CAMPBELL  
JAMES CARRAWAY  
GEORGE DRAUGHON  
WILLIAM HICKMON  
P. HODEGES  
ALEXANDER MCALISTER  
HUGH MCLOCKLAN  
JAMES PRITCHIT  
DAVID TURNER  
HENRY TURNER  
JANE TURNER  
MRS. TURNER  
WINIFRED TURNER  
ISAAC WILLIAMS**

Sworn to in open court by **ALEXANDER MCALISTER** January Term 1805

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**ROBINSON MUMFORD, CC**

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Valuation & Division of the Negroes belonging to the estate of **JAMES TURNER** deceased among the heirs, made this 27<sup>th</sup> day of December 1805.

Mrs. **SARAH TURNER**; CILLER & LUCY

**HENRY TURNER**; CHERRY & ISOM

**ALEXANDER MCALISTER**; AMY

**WINNIFRED TURNER**; ROSE

**JENNET TURNER**; ABRAHAM

**WHITMILL TURNER** MILLY & CHINA

We **ISAAC WILLIAMS**, **JOEL WILLIAMS** Sr., **JOHN SMITH**, **PHILLIMON HODGES** & **WILLIAM SMITH**, appointed by an order of the worshipful the county court of Cumberland to divide the Negroes belonging to the late James Turner, deceased, between the heirs of the said deceased, do certify that the above is a true statement of the division which we have made.

Given under our hands this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of December, 1805.

**ISAAC WILLIAMS**

**WILLIAM SMITH**

**JOHN SMITH**

**JOEL WILLIAMS, SR.**

**P. HODGES**

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State of North Carolina  
Cumberland County

October term 1804

**PHILLIMON HODGES** and **DUNCAN BRICE** Esquires appointed two justices with **ISAAC WILLIAMS, WILLIAM SMITH** and **JOHN SMITH** freeholders to a lot and lay off to Mrs. **SARAH TURNER** Widow of **JAMES TURNER** deceased one years allowance out of the estate of her deceased husband.

From the minutes,

**ROBINSON MUMFORD** Clerk of Court

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