

ACCOUNTS OF SAMUEL SMEAD (1669-1730)  
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The Settlement of the estate of Samuel Smead late of Deerfield in the County of Hampshire Decd is as follows (viz) the whole of the estate both Real & Personal & debts due is four Hundred & Seventy five pounds three Shillings & Eleven pence of which three Hundred & twenty five pounds is Real Estate & one Hundred & fifty pounds three Shillings and Eleven pence is personal Estate out of which personal Estate must be Subducted the Sum of Seventeen pounds Six Shillings & Eleven pence Debts Due from sd Estate & the Sum of Seven pounds nine Shillings & nine pence the Administrrds Accot Allow'd & Twelve Pounds an allowance to the Widdow out of the Necessary Bedding Utensils & Implements of household & thirty three Shillings an article of Crape in the Inventory being part of the widdows Paraphornalia all which Sums being Subducted there remains of Personal Estate the Sum of one Hundred & Eleven pounds fourteen Shilling & three pence of which the widdow of Sd Decd is to have one third part for Ever being thirty Seven pounds four Shillings & nine pence & one third part of the Real Estate during life being one Hundred & Eight pounds Six shillings & Eight pence the remaining part of the Estate both real & Personal is two Hundred & ninety one pounds two Shillings & Ten pence which must be Equally divided to & among the four Children of the Sd Decd Saving to Samuel Smead the only Son a Double Share Each Single Share being the sum of fifty Eight Pounds four Shillings & Six pence three farthings, wherefore Samuel Smead the only son of Sd Decd is to have the Sum of one Hundred & Sixteen pounds nine Shillings & one penny two farthings out of the real Estate & Mary Smead the Eldest Daughter is to have the Sum of fifty Eight Pounds four shillings & Six pence three farthings out of the personal Estate to be paid her by the Administratrix & Sarah Smead the Second Daughter is to have the remaining part of the personal Estate (being Sixteen pounds four Shillings & Eleven pence one farthing) likewise of the Admex & forty one Pounds nineteen Shillings & Seven pence half penny out of the Real Estate & Mercy Smead the other Daughter is to have fifty Eight pounds four shillings & Six pence three farthings out of the Real Estate

At a Court of Probates holden at Northampton within & for the County of Hampshire on the second Tuesday of November being the 13<sup>th</sup> day of the anno Domi :1733/ P John Stoddard Esq Judge of Sd Court the foregoing settlement of the Estate of Sam Smead Decd is Confirmed as a Settlement of sd Estate & Mess. Judah Wright Joseph Severance & Ebenezer Sheldon all freeholders in Deerfield Aforesd were appointed to Make a distribution of the real Estate of Decd According to the Several Sums Allotted the Widdow & Children of Sd Decd in sd Settlement

P John Stoddard