Objections to the passing of the Administration account of Hugh Wright Executor of Margaret Pawash —

1 The Executor did not make sale of the property in the appraisement, nor does he account for it —

He has not charged himself with the following personal property which came to his possession viz. 2 Beds & bedding, 34 yards of linnen cloth 36 yards of linnen cloth — 4 yards of woolen yarn for blanketing — one sheet one loom — Note due by Jacob Pawash for $40 — one note by Daniel Pawash for $40.00. Book ac & other property — He ought not to be credited with the amount of Jacob & Daniel Pawash —

4 The vouchers presented are not conformable to law —

5 Executor ought not be [illegible]

Objections to
Administration
of Margaret Sawasb

Entd p. 296.

Feb. 1824

Will of Margaret Sowash 2/W/ wife of Daniel

In the Name of God Amen= I Margret Sowash of Rastrove
Township Westmorland County and State of pennsylvania
Being weak in Body but of sound mind= Memory and
Understanding Blessed be god for the same do make this
my Last will and testament in manner and form follow=
=ing — — — — —

and first I recommend my Soul to God who gave it
and my Body to the Dust to be Buried in a Decent manner
at the Direction of my Executors

It is my will that all my just Debts and funeral Charges be paid
out my Movable property

I give and Bequeath unto my Son Daniel Sowash one half of
the Plantation or peice of land I now live on in Rastrove
township Westmorland County State of pennsylvania to him
his heirs and Assigns for Ever — —

I will and Bequeath unto my Son Jacob Sowash the other
half of my plantation or peice of land I now live on in Ras=
=trover township Westmorland County State of pennsylvania
to him his heirs and Assigns for Ever — — —

I will and Bequeath unto my Daughter Cathrine Sowash
Sixty Dollars to be paid to her in two years after my decease
by my two Sons (viz) Daniel and Jacob — — —

I Will and Bequeath unto my Daughter Elizabeth Sowash
Seventy Dollars to be paid to her after my Decease in two
years (viz) by my two Sons Daniel and Jacob — —

And I do hereby Nominate Constitute and appoint my
freind Hugh Wright of the Township and County first
offersaid Executor of this my last will and testament in
witness whereof I the Said Margret Sowash have hereunto set
my hand and Seal this Seventh Day of September 1822

Signed Sealed declared and published
by the above Named Margret Sowash for
her Last will and testament in the presence
of us

Richard Steele
John Wright

Margret Sowash her mark Seal

Westmoreland County ss Before me the Subscriber a Register in and for said County came Richard Steel and John Wright Esqr the subscribing Witnesses to the within Will, who being duly sworn according to Law deposeth they were present and saw Margaret Sowash the Testatrix therein Named Sign

The Last
Will of
Margaret Sowash

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7 Oct 1823

Westmoreland County ss

John Wright Esqr personally came before me the Subscriber Register in and for said County who being duly sworn agreeably to Law deposeth that on the 7th day of September last this deponant was called upon to write the last Will and Testament of Margaret Sowash of Rostrover Township who is since deceased, which I accordingly did write and the Instrument now produced where I am a Subscribing Witness alongst with Richard Steel, is the same I which I drew agreeable to her directions in every particular and read the same to her, She then signed her mark thereto, and declared the same was her last Will and Testament, that at the time of the Execution thereof She was as I believe of sound Mind memory and understanding

Sworn & Subscribed the 22 October 1822

Robt Montgomery

John Wright

Richard Steel, on his Solemn oath saith he was present and saw Margaret Sowash sign her mark to the said Instrument of writing as mentioned by John Wright Esqr, and declare the same was her last Will and Testament that the this deponant lived a Neighbour to the said Margaret, saw her frequently during her last illness and believes She was at same time of sound Mind memory and understanding, that he signed as a Witness thereto in presence of the Testatrix and at her request

Sworn & Subscribed the 22 day of October AD 1822

Before me Robt Montgomery

Richard Steele

Margaret Sowash
1766
Last Will & Testament

In the Name of God, Amen I Margret Sowash of Rostraver township Westmoreland County, and State of Pennsylvania, being weak in body but of sound mind Memory, and Understanding Blessed be god for the same do make this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following, viz. And first I recommend my soul to God who gave it and my body to the dust, to be buried in a decent manner at the discretion of my Executors. It is my Will that all my just debts and funeral charges be paid out of my Moveable property; I give and bequeath unto my Son Daniel Sowash, one half of the plantation or piece of land I now live on in Rostraver township Westmoreland County State of Pennsylvania, to him his heirs and assigns forever; I Will and bequeath unto my Son Jacob Sowash, the other half of my Plantation or piece of land I now live on in Rostraver township Westmoreland County State of Pennsylvania, to him his heirs and assigns forever. I Will and bequeath unto my Daughter Catherine Sowash Sixty Dollars, to be paid to her in two years after my decease by my two Sons Daniel and Jacob I Will and bequeath unto my Daughter Elizabeth Sowash Seventy Dollars to be paid to her after my decease in two years Viz, By my two Sons Daniel and Jacob. And I do hereby Nominate Constitute and appoint my friend Hugh Wright, of the Township and County first aforesaid Executor of this my Last Will and Testament, In Witness whereof I the said Margaret Sowash have hereunto set my hand & Seal this Seventh day of September 1822

Signed Sealed declared and published by the above Named Margaret Sowash Margaret her Sowash Testament
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John Wright

Robert Montgomery Regr

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Richard Steel

Sworn & Subscribed the 22 day of October AD 1822

Before me Robt Montgomery Regr

Letters Testamentary issued same day to the Executor

Recorded 22 October 1822

James Crawfords
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Last Will & Testament

In the Name of God, Amen I James Crawford of Unity Township Westmoreland County State of Pennsylvania, being old and frail, but of Sound disposing mind memory and understanding blessed be god for the same do make and publish this my last Will and testament in the following manner Viz. First I commend my Soul to god who gave it, and my body to the earth to be decently inter'd at the discreation of my

Widow and so forth
and unto my Daughter
Crawford one Black
one bed and furniture
Crawford one Cow
-ghter. Jane Crawf
my Son George
Will and bequeath
furniture thereto
residue of my
is sold a part of
in order to enable them
remainder of my
Jane & Rebecca,
Wife Rebecca,
My Turnpike Stock
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Lastly I Nominate
Township Executor
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Jane Taylors
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Last Will & Testament

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Estate Margaret Lowe

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An Inventory of the goods and Chattels of Margaret Lowe late of Boone County Appraised by Archibald Stewart and Richard Steele December 3, 1822

1 Cupboard	9	00
1 Iron Grate	1	25
1 Ten plate stove	10	00
1 Wooden Clock	8	00
1 Pair of Stilyards	1	25
1 18 gal Kettle	3	00
1 10 ditto	1	25
1 Bucket	0	75
1 Small table	0	25
1 Dutch bible	1	25
1 Tea Kettle	1	25
1 2 galon pot	1	00
1 Small ditto	0	25
1 Dutch oven	1	25
1 Bed and bed Clothes	9	00
7 Head of Sheep	7	00

1	Old horse	4	00
1	Cutting box	1	00
1	Table large	2	00
1	Chest	1	00
1	Psalm book	0	25
1	Testament	0	25
1	Pair sheep shears	0	50
1	old side saddle	0	50
	$65-25	56	25

Part of the Estate Papers

West Baltimore County –

Before me the Subscriber a Justice of the Peace in and for said County came Archibald Stewart and Richard Steel and on their Solemn oath saith that the foregoing is an appraisement of the property of Margaret Sowash deceased and that the sums annexed to Each article or articles is a just and true appraisement of the same Sworn and subscribed before me this 17th Day of January A.D. 1823

Richard Steele [L.S.]

Joseph Shirley

Archd. Stewart [L.S.]

1823
Appraisement Bill
of Margaret Sowash
Deceased

1822

Account Sowash Dr To Daniel & Jacob Sowash

1817	By building a Kitchen	$ 40-00
1819	By nails made	12-66
	By building a barn	90-00
	By covering house	24-93
	By 52 lb nails at 14 cts	7-28
	By Shingling barn	16-37
		191 24
	one third of this account due from M. Sowash	63.62
	three shares of the above amount yet Due	71.71½
		$ 135.13½

Came before me one of the Justices of peace in and for Westmoreland County Daniel Sowash & Jacob Sowash and on their solemn oath Deposeth and saith the above account of $ 135.13½ Cents is Just and true that the monies received part there of Sworn and subscribed this 22 day of Feb. 1824

Hugh Knight

Recvd 5th of January 1824
of Daniel Sowash - Two Dollars & twenty
five cents it being the Balance of ax
amount of Seventeen Dollars and
fifty Cents which the said Daniel Sow-
- ash has Paid me at Different times
for Midical Services and Medicine for
his Mother Margaret Sowash Decas'd
Pr me Bela Smith

Feb 2. 1824 Recvd of Thos Wright
Executor of Margaret Sowash dec the
within account in full

Daniel Sowash
Jacob Sowash

Surg. Gen. Sowash
Account
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Dr. Smiths
Rut $17.50 Cts