

ESTATE OF

Alford, Josiah

Attached
Decedent

Incompetent
Insane

Insolvent
Legatee

Minor
Trust

TOWN OF Simsbury

DATE 1722 NO. 70

Hartford Probate District

_____ Wills and Codicils

1 Bonds

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Remarks

K Now all Men by these Presents,

THAT WE *Hannah Alvord and Bona Adams of Symbury* are Holden and stand firmly Bound and Obliged unto *Joseph Talcot*

Esq; Judge of the Court of Probate in the said County; *in*

of *one hundred* Pounds Lawful Money of the said Colony, to be Paid to the said

Judge, his certain Attorney, Successors, or Assigns: For the which Payment well and truly to be made, we Bind our Selves, and each of us; our Heirs, Executors, Administrators, and each and every of them, for and in the whole; Firmly by these Presents, Sealed with our Seals. Dated *in Hartford the 5th* Day of *June*

In the *Eight* Year of His Majesties Reign. Annoque Domini, 1722

The Condition of this Obligation is such,

That if the above Bounden *Hannah Alvord*

Administratrix of all, and singular the Goods, Chattels and Credits of *Josiah Alvord* late of *Symbury* afore said Deceased, Do make or cause to be made a true and perfect Inventory of all and singular the Goods, Chattels and Credits of the said Deceased, which have or shall come to the Hands, Possession or Knowledge of the said *Admini*

or into the Hands, or Possession of any other Person or Persons for *her* and the same so made do Exhibit or cause to be Exhibited into the Registry of the said Court of Probate, on or before the *Second Tuesday of July* next ensuing; and the same Goods, Chattels and Credits, and all other the Goods, Chattels and Credits of the said Deceased, at the time of his Death, which at any time after shall come into the Hands or Possession of the said *Admini*

or into the Hands or Possession of any other Person or Persons for *her* Do well and truly Administer according to Law. And further, Do make or cause to be made a true and just Account of *her* Administration, at or before the *Second first* *Monday of June* Annoque Domini, 1723 And all the rest and residue of the said Goods, Chattels and Credits which shall be found remaining upon the said Administration Account (the same being first Examined and Allowed of by the said Court) shall Deliver and Pay unto such Person or Persons respectively, as the said Court by their Decree or Sentence pursuant to the true intent and meaning of the Law shall Limit and Appoint. And if it shall hereafter appear, that any Last Will and Testament was made by the said Deceased, and the Executor or Executors therein Named, do Exhibit the same into the said Court, making request to have it Allowed and Approved accordingly, if the said *Admini*

above Bounden being thereunto required, do render and deliver the said Letters of Administration (approbation of such Testament being first had and made) in the said Court; Then this Obligation to be Void, and of no Effect; or else to remain in full Force, Effect and Virtue.

*Signed Sealed & Deliv^d
Before Hon. Wyllys Clerk*

Bona Adams

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Know all men by these presents

That I, the said Josiah Alvord, do hereby certify that the within and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original as the same appears from the records of the Court of the said County of ... State of ...

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal of office at the City of ... this ... day of ... 1722

Witness my hand and seal of office at the City of ... this ... day of ... 1722

cidm Bond
Plato
Josiah Alvord
1722

~~WVW~~

an inventory of ^{of} Joseph Alward Decayed may 7th 1722
 Imp'm to wearing apparrell 1^l 11^s a cutlash 1^l 2^s a gunn 1^l 15^s 03 - 12 = 00
 a pistol: 1^l 2^s a powder horn and pouch = 1^l = 6^s 00 - 13 - 06.
 a bible un^d factor 3^s another bible & a Trinity Book = 00 - 11 - 00
 by 5 other old books 5^s a wainscot bedstead 5^s 00 - 12 - 00
 a coverlid 1^l 8^s another coverlid 2^l 1^l 10^s 02 - 14 - 00
 a bedstead and cord 1^l another bedstead cord and mat 01 - 03 - 00
 by an old bed and bolster 5^s three old bag rugs 12^s 00 - 17 - 00
 a feather bed bolster pillows cord and mat 03 - 08 - 00
 to more feather bolster and pillows 18 two pillow cases 04 - 00
 2 hand towels 1^l 6^s 1^l daper napkin 2^s four sheets 02 - 03 - 06
 to 4^s in cashmere ~~trunk~~ bedstead 2^l 00 - 06 - 00
 four pound of shoope wool 8^s two corn baskets 00 - 10 - 00
 one bag 2 = 6^s a corn five 1^l three new chairs 9^s 00 - 12 - 06.
 one great chair 4^s 4 other chairs 10^s one low chair 2^l 00 - 16 - 00
 two pairs of taylor shoes 10^s one taylor goose 3^l 6^s 00 - 13 - 06
 a smoothing iron 2^l 6^s a hammer 1^l 6^s a sickle 1^l 6^s 00 - 05 - 06.
 old iron 2^l 6^s a table 4^s a smaler table 3^l 6^s 00 - 10 - 00
 five sider barrels 12^l 6^s a meat barrel 3^l a butter tub 2^l 00 - 18 - 00
 a chirm 4^l 6^s a padlock and bell 1^l another padlock 2^l 00 - 04 - 06
 three old barrels: 3^l a cradle 4^s a small trough 4^s 00 - 11 - 00
 one chest 1^l another chest 4^s a box 4^l 6^s two little whet 01 - 04 - 06
 a great whet 5^s one too hew 1^l 6^s 1 quart pot 4^s 00 - 10 - 06
 one pewter plater 13^s one tin plater plater 10^s 00 - 03 - 00
 two plater 5^s one great basin 4^s a small basin and up 01 - 00 - 11 - 00
 a salt pot 1^l seven old spoons 1^l 6^s two small bottles 00 - 04 - 06
 two earthen plats 1^l 6^s two glas bottles 1^l 6^s a iron 1^l 3^s 01 - 06 - 00
 a flesh fork 8^s a chising knife 1^l a candlestick 1^l a great poral 02 - 08
 a lobster pot 9^s a trying pan 5^s tongs 3^s a tramet 6^s 01 - 03 - 60
 two pairs 3^s a pigeon 1^l 6^s a can 2^s a great knot bowl 7^l 6^s 00 - 40 - 00
 a smaler knot Dish 3^s a milk bowl 1^l 6^s one tray 1^l 00 - 05 - 66.
 a half poof 6^s a pair of cards 6^s two mortars 2^l 00 - 02 - 00
 a small not hids 2^l 8^s a pishing fork 2^l 6^s 2 rats 1^l 6^s 00 - 06 - 08
 a large Red child's blanket 1^l 10^s 01 - 10 - 0
 2^l cover 4^l 10^s one hay ar 1^l a smaler hog 6^l 10^s 08 - 10 - 0
 a small calf 10^s four shoop 1^l 10^s 02 - 00 - 0
 a parcel of land 21 1/2 acre of land on y^e East mountain 5^l 00 - 0
 house and homland which is ten acre 62 - 00 - 0
 holcombs lot which 25^s two acre 14 - 00 - 0

This inventory was taken by us appraisers 124: 10 4
 this thirty Day of may 1722 and took oath before Justis
 Joshua Holcomb
 Benjamin Adams } Apprs and Oath
 Andrew Polo } Humphrey

At a Court of Probate held at Hartford June 5th 1722

When the within Inventory was Exhibited by
Hannah Alvord Widow upon Oath in Manner
aforementioned which Inventory is accepted and
Ordered to be recorded

Jos: Ho: Whittys Clerk

8-11
01-0
81-0
01-4
2 10

Inventory State
Jannah Alvord
June 1722
ent

James Esq. Receiver of

the 31 1722 an acct of administration of
 the Signah Blund on y^e Estate of her late husband Josiah
 Blund Lord of Windsor Debt

An account of debts paid to the Estate
 to Andrew Robe Assurance Desert 02-6

to Josua Holcomb - - - - - 02-6

to Benia Adams - - - - - 05-6

to a journey to Hartford to

take administration - - - - - 06-0

to money paid to the Court - - - - - 13-0

to a journey to Windsor to Reckon

with the Creditors there - - - - - 03-0

1 - 12 - 6
 7 - 17 - 4
 9 - 11 - 10

To p ^o to Wm Major	_____	01 = 00 0
To Elias Slaughter	_____	0 - 07 = 0
To Tim ^e Threll	_____	4 = 14 - 1
To Wm Mitchell	_____	0 - 18 = 3
To Charge distribution	_____	1 = 00 = 0
Allotted in Court		7 = 19
of Probate	_____	

Sam^l Samuel Wiggins Ruth Wyllys
 Collector

104 - 4 - 0

124 - 16 - 4
 9 - 11 - 10

1722

Rece^d Administration
 Effects for sale. also

At a Court of Probate held at Hartford June 1st 1722/3

Whereas Josiah Alford and Hannah Alford Administrators
The Effects of Josiah Alford Late of Lymebury now Exhibited an Account
of their Administration on sd Estate whereby it appears they paid out
of sd Estate in debts and Charges allowed the sum of 9:11:10 which
Account this Court accepts and orders it to be kept upon file and
whereas the Inventory of sd Estate as upon record amounts to the
sum of £124:16:4 - from which abating the sum of £9:19:10
there will remain the sum of £115:4:6 to be distributed This
Court orders that the Estate of the sd Deceased: so remaining shall
be distributed in the following manner viz To the aforesd Hannah
Alford Widow and Heir of the sd Deceased: the sum of £11:1:6 out of
the moveable part of sd Estate which is one third part thereof to
be her own forever and one third part of the housing and lands of
the sd Deceased: for her improvement all during life and the residue of
sd Estate including the Widows third after her decease: in the housing and
lands to be distributed as follows viz to the aforesd Josiah Alford the
Eighth part of the sd Deceased: the sum or value of £34:14:4 which is
his double portion of sd Estate To Hannah Bolton Nathaniel Alford
Eliza Alford and Dorothy Alford the rest of the Children of sd Deceased: to
each of them the sum or value of £17:7:2 which is their single portion
of sd Estate and this Court do appoint and empower Messrs Andrew Peby
Benja Adams and Jonathan Westover of Lymebury or any two of them
to distribute and divide the sd Estate accordingly

Inventory Estate Jos Alford 124 : 16 : 4
 Lands - 82 : 00 : 0

Movables - 42 : 16 : 4
 Debt - 9 : 11 : 10

 33 : 4 : 6

Widow third - 11 : 1 : 6

 22 : 3 : 0
 82 : 0 : 0

 104 : 3 : 0

4
3

11 : 04 - 6
 10 : 01 - 6
 11 : 01 - 6

 33 : 4 - 6

42
 104
 918
 1
 43
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 17 : 7 : 2
 17 : 7 : 2
 17 : 7 : 2
 17 : 7 : 2
 17 : 7 : 2
 17 : 7 : 2

 104 : 3 : 0

17 : 7 : 2
 17 : 7 : 2

 34 : 14 : 4

Ed-son Corrie - 34 : 14 : 4
 Nathan - 17 : 7 : 2
~~John Alford~~
 Hannah Walton - 17 : 7 : 2
 Eliza - 17 : 7 : 2
 Dorothy - 17 : 7 : 2

 104 : 3 : 0

A Distribution of the Estate of a Josiah Alured Deceased
 in Simsbury
 April 6: 1724 Whereof Hannah Welton reserved on marriage
 the sum of £ 5-15-6 which appear by book and receipt
 first distributed to the widow for her thirds of mowdells

one feather bed pillows cord & mat	3-8-0
one covered a bedstead one cow to 2 sheats	8-00-0
one basin to goose: 2 chairs a pistil	1-07-0
on poringer one tramell something yarn	0-10-1
frizing iron to a grate chure two pair ynd boots	0-15-6
to a cordstick to one barrell to a quart cup pigmo	10-0
to a box for lining	0-4-6
then set out the widows thirds of the Land on the eastern side of every peace of Land	totall 12 15 1

2 Distributed to Josiah Alured the Lot called
 Holcomb Lot being two acres ^{or half the house} 14 00 0
 Distributed to Josiah two acres and 150 Rods
 in the house Lot bounding southerly on Nathaniel
 Alured and northward on Hannah Welton being
 19 Rods wide and twenty four Rod and half
 and three foot long - being } 21-16-8
 Total 35-16-8

3 Distributed to Nathaniel Alured half the house
 being the West end and one acre and 3 quarters and
 fifteen Rods bounding south on the River and east
 on Staters Lot and west on Slater and to Elizabeth from
 the River northward or downe the Lot till it make
 one acre and three quarters and fifteen Rods being 17-18-4

Whereof Hannah Welton reserved upon marriage of by
 her receipt may be made appear in the whole £ 5-15-6
 further distributed to Hannah one gown pot & satter 1-04-0
 to one bedstead cord and mat and basket 0-13-0
 a table a Cow bell a red Lock and grate wheel 0-06-1
 to a Can and two mortars to woden ware 1-4 0-09-5
 divided to Hannah 2 acres and Sixty Rods being
 in the house Lot bounding south on Josiah Alured
 and east and west on Staters and north on
 Elizabeth Alured being twenty Rods long and 19 wide
 the sum total 17-18-4

These are to certify that their way a bout fourteen
 shillings lost estate

Devided to Elizabeth allward one sword sum books 0-17-0
 5 to one Cover Lead a bed tick bedstead and cord — 1-06-0
 to sume father bed tick and pillow — 0-18-0
 to one pillow bed and towels — 0-03-6
 to two sheets 2 Chaire a pair of shears — 1-07-0
 to a table to a Ell on Chest — 0-14-0
 to a little whole puter plates 2 plates — 0-18-9
 to a salt sizer to glass pottes flesh fork — 0-03-6
 one iron pot two Rakes — 1-01-6
 to a Coll a bed mat to a small Chaire — 0-14-0

Distributed to Elizabeth Land in the house lot
 bounded south on hannah miller and ~~land~~
 west on Slater Land and north on Dorothy Land } 9-14-0
 being two acres and thirty nine rods being in
 Length: 21 Rods and three quarters and in
 breadth 19 Rods which is ————— }
 sum total 17 78 = 4

6 Distributed to ~~Jonathan~~ Dorothy allward Books? 0-09-6
 a powder horn and white pouch to a bible ~~setman~~
 to a bolster to a worcim to a round ~~bed~~ } 0-14-0
 bedstead one basket one chaire one pair of sheets } 0-17-0
 to one bolster and 3 Ray tugs ————— } 0-15-0
 a hamper like old iron ————— } 0-13-0
 a Churne to one spring lock small chest ————— } 0-18-0
 to one little wheel to a grate puter plates } 0-05-3
 one catther plate one puter plate sume sponges } 0-03-9
 two small pottes a pair of tongs ————— } 1-13-0
 to one ~~bed~~ months to 4; not display ————— } 0-03-0

to one ~~bed~~ ~~bed~~ one ~~bed~~ ~~bed~~ }
 to one bible pair of cards one fork } 2-02
 to one chaire one mat one gunn to one chaire }
 and choping nife }
 Devided to Dorothy the north end of the house lot
 being 19 east and west and west side sume } 9-14
 rods on the east sid: 12: Rods and three
 quarters being: 196: Rods and Devided to Dorothy } 17 15
 the lot on Phelps mountains being 21 acres }
 and half according to Record }
 Distributed by us Jonathan Westover }
 Andrew Westover }

Distribution of
 Jonathan allward
 April 1724