

Cater

By virtue of certain letters testimonary bearing date the 7th September 1753 to us directed, we whose names are under written (at the request of Wm. Mayne Executor to the estate of Thos. Cater late of St. Georges Parish deceased) have this day viewed and appraised all and singular the personal estate goods and chattles belonging to the said estate which hath been shewn us by the said executor, a true and perfect inventory whereof as follows, viz.

		Slaves	£	s	d
1 Negro man	named Tom		50		
1 ditto	Will		80		
1 ditto	Abraham		360		
1 ditto	Tim		300		
1 ditto	Dick		150		
1 ditto	Prince		380		
1 ditto	March		280		
1 ditto	Johan O		330		
1 ditto	Titus		300		
1 ditto	Boston		260		
1 ditto	George		300		
1 ditto	Adam		350		
1 ditto	York, very old		4		
1 wench	and child Linnus		250		
1 ditto	named Kate		260		
1 ditto	Doll and child Sarah		250		
1 ditto	Betty		200		
1 ditto	Judgy very old		30		
1 girl	Flower		100		
1 ditto	Bess		60		
1 ditto	Elsy		150		
1 boy	Sharpe		180		
1 ditto	George		200		
1 ditto	Bib		150		
1 ditto	Morham		70		
1 ditto	Sam		80		
1 lass	Toney		220		
			<u>220</u>		
			£ 5,354	00	0

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Household Goods, Plantation Tools, ETC.		£	s	d
1 chest of drawers		7		
1 table		6		
1 bedstead, 2 beds, Bolsters, and pillows		28		
Sundry delft ware and glass		2	5	
1 watch		20		
5 diaper napkins		4		
2 diaper and three plain table cloths		4	10	
1/2 dozen pillow cases		1	10	
4 towels			10	
2 pair sheets		8		
1 set curtains		4		

	f	s	d
2 counterpins	2		
1 lott old lining		5	
2 old bibles	4		
1 small looking glass		15	
A chamber pott etc.		10	
2 old tables		15	
1 beaufet	7	10	
3 blanketts	2	10	
1 pair stilliards	1	5	
1 pair tongs	1		
1 bedstead	2	10	
1 whip saw	4		
1 spinning wheel		5	
1 writing desk	4		
1 ditto	8		
1 trooping sword and belts	3		
1 wig and box	5		
1 saddle, two housings, holstercap, buckler and cartridges box			(torn)
1 chest			(torn)
5 candle sticks	1	10	
1 pair scales and weights		15	
2 pewter dishes and 16 old plates	4		
3 smoothing irons		15	
1 dripping and paltis pans		5	
2 belts	2	10	
2 stone jugs, a butter pott, 5 milk pans, and a mygg		10	
1 old tea Kettle, tribber mortar, sauce pan, 2 iron potts and a spade	3		
	<u>163</u>	5	

Household goods, plantation tools, etc., continued			
1 woman's saddle	163	5	
1 pair boots	6		
2 old tables and a case	1		
1 cotton counterpin and rugg	1		
1 carbonyne	4		
1 basket and 2 deer skins, a lump tallow and a small gilt trunk	5		
8 old chairs	2	15	
4 knives, 3 forks, and a bason stand	2		
A parcel: cart, boxes, hoops, and a chain	2	10	
	5		

	£	s	d
A pair gold sleeve buttons	8		
A riding chair	30		
3 yokes and a clevis	2		
A parcel old iron	1		
A bed, bolster, 2 blanketts, and a parcel woll	12		
Some old pewter	1	5	
2 tables	1	10	
1 stone mill	12		
1 iron pott	2		
1 gun and a claw hammer	2	10	
16 reaping hooks		10	
1 pair doggs	3		
1 bedstead, cord, and skin	1	10	
1 whip saw	6		
1 X (cross) cutt saw	3		
A lot cooper and carpenters tools	7		
A parcel hoes, axes and wedges	8		
A parcel old books	1	10	
A grind stone	12		6
1 table and 3 tea silver spoons, weight 2 1/2 ozs. at 30/- per ounce	3	15	
	£ 282	12	6

Horses, Mares, And Colts, Etc.	£	s	d
1 Chestnut horse	15		
A sorrel mare	16		
A bay mare	15		
A bay mare and colt	20		
A bay horse, Rochester	15		
A bay mare and colt	18		
A black mare and colt	10		
A young bay mare	12		
A stallion	30		
A dark mare	15		
5 working oxen at 15 £			
71 head cattls at £ 6			
2 sheep @ 30/-			
continued	£ 5,822	12	6
£ 75			
426	501		
	3		

2 mourning rings at £5

Total amount £ 6,336 12 6

1 gold laced hatt

£7

1 bay horse named Spark

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1 little bay mare omitted above

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Total amount £ 6,383 12 6

Given under our hands

This 5th day of October 1753

Maurice Harvey

Thos. Bulline

Stepn. Cater

} Appraisers

Recorded the 15th November 1753

Thomas Cater (1731-1753) planter of St. George's Parish, son of William

Cater (c. 1688-1749) planter of St. George's Parish, Berkeley Co., and his wife Mary, married c. 1749 Miss Susannah

Baker (6 Apr. 1731-8 Jan. 1752), daughter of his neighbor, Richard

Baker, Esq. (c. 1703-1752) of Archdale Hall and his first wife, Mary Bohun, daughter of Nicholas Bohun and his wife, Margaret Bellinger, daughter of I Landgrave Edmund Bellinger of Tomotley Barony;

Thomas & Susannah (Baker) Cater were the parents of one daughter, Mary Cater, born 1750 and died in infancy, and one son, Thomas

Cater (17 Dec. 1751-30 April 1803), planter of Cater Hall, St. Peter's Parish,

Captain & C.O. of the Beaufort Volunteer Artillery during the Revolutionary War, Representative of St. Peter's Parish in the Jacksonborough General

Assembly 1782, who married 18 Feb. 1773 Rachel Miles (22 Dec. 1755-30

Jan. 1802), daughter of Captain Silas Miles, planter of Poplar Springs Plantation,

St. Paul's Parish, and his wife, Elizabeth McPherson, daughter of Captain

James McPherson (1688-6 March 1771) of Buckfield Plantation, Prince William

Parish, Captain of the S.C. Rangers 1727-1738, and his wife Rachel.