

And paid  
in that Specie  
or in Tobacco  
at the Price  
current, to be  
determined  
by the Coun-  
ty Justices.

Orphans  
Age to re-  
ceive their  
Portions, if  
Males.

And be  
Executors,  
Infant Ex-  
ecutors,  
And Ad-  
ministrators  
during Min-  
ority.

Infant Ad-  
ministrators  
under like  
Law as Infant  
Executors.

Age of  
Females.

Slaves to  
be returned  
in Specie.  
Appraised.

And re-  
appraised,  
and the Loss  
in Value  
made good  
by the Guar-  
dians.

If Guar-  
dians refuse  
to accept the  
Terms,

County-  
Courts may  
put out  
Slaves to  
other Persons,  
preserving  
their first  
Stock.

Servants  
for Years to  
be returned  
in kind.

Orphans as aforesaid, either in Money, according to the Appraisalment, or in Tobacco at the then Price current. And in case any Difference shall arise what shall be Price current at the Day of Payment limited in the Bond taken, the Justices of the County-court where the Orphans Estate doth lie, shall then determine what shall be the Price current.

*Fifthly*, That every Male Orphan shall be of full Age to receive his Estate from his Guardian, at the Age of Twenty One Years, and not before; but in case any Person by his last Will and Testament doth appoint any Person to be his Executor or Executrix, that is full Seventeen Years of Age, that Person so appointed shall be adjudged to be of sufficient Age to be Executor or Executrix; and if such Executor or Executrix be under the Age of Seventeen Years, the Administration shall then be committed to such proper Person as the Judge for Probate of Wills and granting Administrations shall legally approve of, *Durante Minoritate*, to the Profit, Use and Behoof of the Infant Executor or Executrix and not otherwise, nor in any other Manner.

And forasmuch as the Right to Administration of the Goods of Persons Intestate, may fall upon Persons under the Age of Seventeen Years, it is hereby declared, That as they are within like Reason, so they are within like Law with Infant-Executors.

*Sixthly*, That every Female Orphan shall be accounted of full Age to receive her Estate at the Age of Sixteen Years, or the Day of Marriage, which shall first happen.

*Seventhly*, That all Negroes and other Slaves, after the transmitting the Estate to the County-courts as aforesaid, shall be appraised to the Guardian or Trustees, and preserved by them, and be employed to the said Guardians or Trustees Use and Benefit, and the like Number of Slaves, and of the like Ability of Body, be returned to the said Orphans out of their Increase, or otherwise at their full Age, by this Law limited. And if any of the said Slaves be grown aged, or otherwise Impotent, or be lamed, and that the Increase will not make the original Stock good, as to the Number and Ability of Body, that then they shall be again appraised by the said County-courts, and the Guardians or Trustees shall pay to the Orphans so much Money or Tobacco as the County-courts shall adjudge the Orphan's Stock of Negroes then to be of less Value than they were at the Time of their first Appraisalment and Delivery of their said Slaves to the said Guardians or Trustees; but in case no Guardian or other Person, will, upon those Terms, accept of those Slaves, then it shall and may be lawful for the said several and respective County-courts to put the said Slaves out upon other Terms, to any other Person, so that the said Original Stock of Slaves be not sold, nor any of their Increase, but in the best Manner preserved for the Orphans, till they come to their several Ages by this Act limited and appointed, to the Intent they may have their first Stock made good to them, in Number, Value and Ability of Body, if it may be.

*Eighthly*, That all Servants for Years be likewise returned in Kind to the Orphans at their full Age, (*That is to say,*) The same Number of the same Age and Sex, and by like Number of Years to serve, and of the same Ability of Body, as near as can be estimated, as the Servants were when received by the Guardian or Trustee.