

Hall Family Papers and Sugar Plantation Records

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Undated: William Hall (b.1696) to Thomas Hall (b.1725)



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 Liquid Salt & Solivid
 in the presence of
 Jonathan Thompson
 William Falmer
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Richard
 David
 Thomas
 William Peter

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Dear Thomas

I write you late by a man of Mr. Petrus and that I
 did expect to come over about this time, but your mother last
 Wednesday was taken again very ill but I thank God has got it over
 it, & is done again, and as to my self I can not yett recover
 my appetite or sleep which keeps me very weak & low
 I suppose now not to come over till I hear from you, for if
 that fellow has sued me and I can't gett at put of, I must determine
 to go to Town & I consider it will be easier for me to do so than say
 I write to Brady of He had any summons to stay if He could to
 return & spend this Court, & as soon as He received it to let you
 know, As tomorrow night is the last day of summoning you will then
 be able to resolve one which I shoud have sent a day or two before
 to do, as my late attorney Mr. Borne has wrote me He is going
 immediately to England, I have wrote to Mr. Edwards to appoint him
 He receives all my papers from Mr. Borne, which Mr. Borne will
 He has delivered him, but have no answer from Mr. Edwards to
 several questions, as to any of my summons out, and there was if
 I could gett it out of this Court & the method to do it, as you
 must come on to send me some subpoenas for witnesses, all which
 I am att. a long for to know & as the Court draws nigh for to be
 too late, I apprehend as Mr. Edwards knows I live at the same
 He might have sent my letter there, if not as I have again wrote him
 & may expect an answer by the post about Wednesday. Shall by that time
 I hope be directed how to proceed

I have got 2 Red poles proper but could not yett gett the
 Grain poles sent as I cannot gett a Judgeon here as yett, nor can't hear
 from you whether that will do if I let you again or directed, I have
 this offer of a fine new Judgeon which they say was designed for the
 Lower Judgeon & a water wheel it is very large but I think it too short
 not being quite two feet long if that you have will not do (consult

Mr Boyan about this of the stumps, it long enough let me know
& I will get it and a beef cart too if tho I must give you
Dear Sir at 12. 20

Our mules is not yett come down but may expect them
very day they went from Luana a Tuesday last for them when
they come I shall first them here a day or two & send them
over to you, a Thursday last Serling died at Luana
suddenly with a pain in Her stomach, I have not been able
to go up there yett, The last week Mr Haughton was delivered
of a dead Daughter, she was pretty well call heifers with yesterday

I shall be glad to know if you have had any opportunity of distroying
the shipping any plant to Town, as that you may be able to
do it to day of some of those returns broadly made last Court
as that of Mathison about 1/2, as to what he has now to execute
get them if you can to make as small a return as he can, which
we may have time to discharge before the Court after, If I am
not obliged to go to Town, I shall if able to come as soon
as I hear from you, come to St James & settle that matter
with him myself, for I shall expect to hear from you about
Thursday next & about that time from Town, he determined what
to do if I am obliged to go to Town ^{shall} see him to settle that
affair then otherwise I shall come over immediately to St James &
settle the end of this week in time to do it there,

These three of them Mr David whom you have here come
over with his little cargo to St James, I hope you will be
civil to him, and believe him to be an ingenious good natured
body, and write up to me your the tale of purchasing some blank
of you of the Bills his goods, as I believe he has not a great deal
of Cash now, He has a great deal of land of Mr Wm Dornill of
Lho if he deals with you for any of worth while may take
that note as Cash as I can help it as to here

If you have got any money you can spare me from these I should
be glad you could send me what you can spare as I want it
here much to make provision for the occasion ~~of the~~
I if I do not go down my self I shall want to send some one
to you

Your mother ~~dear~~ ~~dear~~ ~~dear~~ she has bought
the Fish & shall be sent by the first opportunity as also the
Nells feet oyle will be sent of Landdale what is expected from
Down soon, I wish you advise about the Surgeons may come
before he comes & you from hence that I may know how to act
I give a great concern to be able to save me