

Plantation Records: Property ^[1]

This is a list of plantation property that needed to be inspected by the owner, Duncan Cameron. The Camerons were one of the most wealthy families in North Carolina.

The property and animals listed here are only a fraction of the total number on the property. Examining this type of information helps us to understand the enormous wealth of the Cameron family, as well as the record-keeping required to run a prosperous plantation.

1844

Stock 2 Look at Person

North Point 6 Horses 2 Mules 32 cattle 60 hogs 6 Single Plows 3 double Plows 4 [Harrows](#) 2 [Coulters](#) 4 [Mattocks](#) 8 weeding hoes 4 Hilling hoes 6 axes 2 Wedges 4 [scythes](#) 2 [cradles](#) 6 pr [plow gear](#) [grape cut saw](#) 1 waggon 1 cart

Mill Plantation

8 Mules 30 cattle 80 Hogs 3 double plows 6 single plows 2 coulters, 2 harrows 10 weeding hoes 3 hilling hoes 6 Mattocks 8 for Plow gear 4 scythes 2 cradles 8 axes 1 waggon 1 cart

Jim rays

3 Horses 7 mules 59 cattle 147 hogs 1 waggon 1 cart 6 double plows 13 single plows 10 per gear 2 coulters 10 axes 7 mattock 15 weeding hoes 11 hilling hoes 8 scythes 2 cradles 5 wedges [3 rows](#) 1 craws cut saw

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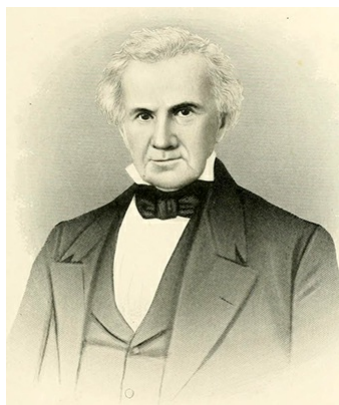
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^[18] Duncan Cameron kept this list of property needing his personal inspection, which is transcribed on the left.

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