### **Consuming Mosaics: Mass-Produced Goods and Contours of Choice in the Upper Potomac Region**

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**Appendix B Merchant Records: Sales of Housewares in the Region** 

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The following listing provides a sample of merchant's accounts, as recorded in daybooks, ledgers, and account books for stores located in the Upper Potomac and northern Shenandoah region in the period of 1750-1865. This is a limited sample. Area archives preserve only fragments of the total number of store accounts generated in that time period and region. Having reviewed records available in local archives, I list below the pertinent information of selected merchant records, with a focus on transactions involving domestic or imported ceramic housewares.

#### I. Introduction

General stores in the period of 1750-1865 typically maintained their sales records in two forms. Store clerks recorded each sale in some form of "Daybook" which listed the date, the customer's name, the item purchased, and the price to be debited against the customer's account with the store. Most general stores maintained accounts for each customer, and accepted cash, services, and "country produce" (such as livestock, grain or wool) from their customers as payment of those debts. A daybook was usually recorded in simple chronological order, listing all sales and associated credits and debits. Those detailed descriptions were later summarized into "ledger" and "account" books, which were organized by customer name, collecting all credit and debit information for each customer in a given year onto one summary accounting. The descriptions of each sale in the daybooks were often much more detailed than those provided in the ledgers and account books.

Relevant sales transactions from these records involving housewares are itemized below, and are set forth in a manner that closely approximates the way the store clerks wrote them down. These relevant housewares include ceramic food wares (e.g., crocks, cups, mugs, saucers, plates, and dishes), glass wares (e.g., tumblers, bottles, and wine glasses), tea sets and kettles, coffee sets and pots, sets of table utensils (knives, forks and spoons), and ceramic housewares (e.g., chamber pots). Each customer listed below likely purchased other items, such as groceries, fabrics or hardware, along with these housewares, but those other goods are not itemized here.

I examined a total of approximately 5,592 pages of daybooks, ledgers and account books for 20 stores that were located in the region of my survey at some point during the period of 1750-1865. These accounting records contained an approximate total of 2,182 sales transactions specifically involving housewares (as defined above), out of approximately 124,791 total sales transactions of all types. I define a "sales transaction" for this purpose as each one-line entry in a daybook or ledger that reflected the purchase of one or more products by a customer. For each of the accounting records described below, I calculated the total of sales transactions recorded in each daybook or ledger. I also calculated the total number of sales transactions involving housewares that were recorded in each book. Sales transactions involving housewares comprised approximately less than two percent (2,182/124,791 = .0174) of the total sales transactions of all types in the available merchant accounting records surveyed in this study.

For the daybook records, each pertinent transaction is listed below by date of sale (month, day and year), the name of the customer to whom the purchase was charged and the person who made the purchase, the items purchased (as described in the daybook), and the prices charged. The person who purchased the item was typically identified in the daybook entries with a notation of "D" or "Dp," for "debit per," followed by an identifier, such as "Dp self" or "Dp wife." Thus, an entry of "William Smith Dp wife" indicated that Mr. Smith's wife made a purchase at the store and charged it to Mr. Smith's account. Clerks also used the notations "ditto" and "do." to indicate that an item was the same as the item which preceded it in the listings of a customer's purchases.

Store clerks often listed a price per unit next to the description of the item purchased, and then totaled the price for all those units on the right-hand column, listed here under the heading of "Prices." For example, an entry might state "2 bowls @ .25  $\dots$  50." In other instances, a clerk noted a price per unit next to an item, but neglected to total up the price for the number of units of that item. I use the abbreviation "npl" to indicate that no price was listed for an item, and "ntpl" to indicate that a price per unit was listed, but no total price for the purchase of those units was calculated and listed by the store clerk in the daybook entry.

The prices listed often appear in pence, shillings and pounds, reading each figure from right to left in that order. For example, "1/2/6" is 1 pound, 2 shillings and 6 pence; "1/3" is 1 shilling and 3 pence; " $2/\sim$ " or "2/" is 2 shillings; and " $\sim/8$ " or "/8" is 8 pence. In general, 12 pence equaled 1 shilling, and 20 shillings equaled 1 pound. However, clerks often recorded a price of more than 12 pence or more than 20 shillings for an item, without converting the figure to include the next associated increment of shillings or pounds (e.g., " $\sim/\sim/16$ " instead of " $\sim/1/4$ ," or " $\sim/30/\sim$ " instead of " $1/10/\sim$ "). The value of goods that could be purchased for pounds, shilling and pence varied from region to region in the United States, even within the same time period, and merchants also varied in the calculations they used to convert pounds and shillings to dollars and cents when administering their customer accounts.

#### II. Store Records

I located and examined surviving sales records for the following merchandise stores:

a. Winchester, Shenandoah County, Virginia Store Operated by David Allason, 1761-1763;

- b. Sharpsburgh, Washington County, Maryland Store Operated by an Unidentified Merchant, 1809-1813;
- c. Leesburg, Loudoun County, Virginia Store Operated by J. E. Dangerfield, 1812-1817;
- d. Winchester, Shenandoah County, Virginia Store Operated by Isaac Lauck & Company, 1813-1815;
- e. Hillsborough, Loudoun County, Virginia Store Operated by Samuel Clendening, 1814-1816;
- f. Fauquier County, Virginia Store Operated by James Pickett, 1814-1832;
- g. Washington County, Maryland Store Operated by William Dickey, 1817-1819;
- h. Leesburg, Loudoun County, Virginia Store Operated by an Unidentified Merchant, 1830-1831;
- i. Middleburg, Loudoun County, Virginia Store Operated by John M. McVeigh, 1830-1831;
- j. Martinsburg, Berkeley County, Virginia Store Operated by Isaac Lauck & Company, 1831;
- k. Hillsborough, Loudoun County, Virginia Store Operated by Samuel Clendening, 1834;
- 1. Loudoun County, Virginia Store Operated by an Unidentified Merchant, 1837-1839;
- m. Leitersburg, Washington County, Maryland Store Operated by Fletcher & Lanz, 1838-1839;
- n. Loudoun County, Virginia Store Operated by an Unidentified Merchant, 1839-1840;
- o. Winchester, Shenandoah County, Virginia Store Operated by David Barrett, 1839-1843;
- p. Hatcherville, Fauquier County, Virginia Store Operated by an Unidentified Merchant, 1841-1849;

- q. Strasbourg, Shenandoah County, Virginia Store Operated by Strickley's & Company, 1842-1843;
- r. Loudoun County, Virginia Store Operated by an Unidentified Merchant, 1843-1850;
- s. Strasbourg, Shenandoah County, Virginia Store Operated by Strickley's & Company, 1844-1845; and
- t. New Market, Shenandoah County, Virginia Store Operated by John W. Rice, 1856-1866.

Transcriptions of pertinent sales records are set out in the following sections II.A-II.T, addressing each of these store records in detail.

# A. Winchester, Shenandoah County, Virginia Store Operated by David Allason, 1761-1763.

*Sources*: Winchester, Shenandoah County, Virginia Store Operated by David Allason, *Daybook*, November 3, 1761 to November 5, 1763; David and William Allason Papers, 1722-1847; Business Records Collection No. 13, Miscellaneous Microfilm No. 1380, Library of Virginia, Richmond, Virginia.

Falmouth, Stafford County, Virginia Store Operated by William Allason, *Daybook*, October 1, 1761 to May 16, 1763; David and William Allason Papers, 1722-1847; Business Records Collection No. 13, Miscellaneous Microfilm No. 1372, Library of Virginia, Richmond, Virginia.

This *Daybook* was used by store clerks to record the daily sales transactions of a general store that was located in Winchester, Shenandoah County, Virginia, and operated by David Allason. This book is organized in the manner of a typical daybook. This accounting record contains approximately 442 pages of sale entries, with an average of 25 sales transactions recorded on each page, for a total of 11,050 total sales transactions. The array of goods reflected in these records indicate that this store operated as a general store, offering for sale a broad assortment of goods, groceries and produce. These *Daybook* records were later summarized by the store personnel in the Shenandoah Store *Ledger*, for November, 1761 to November, 1763, which arranged the sales transactions and payment information by customer name, recording all debits and credits associated with each customer in summary form.

A *Daybook* of the Falmouth Store, operated by William Allason, and covering the period of October 1, 1761 to May 16, 1763, concerns a business operation that was located in the Tidewater region of Virginia and outside the area of my study. William

Allason operated this store at the same time that his brother, David Allason, operated a store in Winchester, the latter of which is within my area of study. I did not transcribe individual sales transactions from this accounting record of the Falmouth store, because that store was located outside the area of my study. However, it is notable that this *Daybook* for the Falmouth store contains approximately 483 pages of entries, with an average of 25 sales transactions recorded on each page, for a total of 12,075 transactions. In a comparable two-year period, the Winchester store recorded approximately the same number of total sales transactions.

Relevant sales transactions involving housewares recorded in the Winchester store's *Daybook* are itemized below in a manner similar to the way the store clerks recorded them in the *Daybook*. The sales of housewares listed below total to just 344 sales transactions out of that total of approximately 11,050, or approximately three percent of the total sales transactions in the daybook. The prices are listed primarily in references to pounds, shilling and pence.

<u>Date</u>	<u>Customer</u>	
11/3/1761	Joseph Combs Dp	
		р.
	Items Purchased	<u>Prices</u>
	1 quart mug	npl
	1 quart mug	npl
	1 Tea pott	npl
	1 milk pott	npl
	1 sugar box	npl
11/3/1761	William Wood senior Dp self & wife	
	1 large tea pott	2/~
	1 ditto smaller	1/6
	1 milk potts	~/7 2
	1 sugar box	1/6
11/3/1761	Joseph Combs Dp	
	2 doz. Coffee Cups	npl
11/3/1761	William Wood senior Dp self & wife	1/2
	1 Delph quart mug	1/3
	2 doz. Delph plates	3/9
	2 doz. Coffee cups returned	npl
11/3/1761	Minor Win Dp self	
	1 pint mugg	npl
		L
11/3/1761	Andrew Davies	
	1 Fraying pan 6 lb 6 oz 1/	6/6

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11/5/1761	John Timms Dp self & wife 1 quart mug 2 pint mug 1 Chamber pott 2 doz. Delph plates	1/3 / 7 2 1/3 7/6	1/3 1/3 1/3 3/9
11/6/1761	William Wood Senior Dp self 1 pint mug	& wife	npl
11/7/1761	William Wood senior Dp John 2 Iron Potts 34 lb	n Timms	npl
11/7/1761	Joseph Combs Dp self 1 Chamber pott for [illegible]		npl
11/7/1761	Mr. Grigbay Dp wife 1 Iron Pott 8 2 lb		5/3/6 2
11/7/1761	Mrs. Harden Dp self 2 doz. Delph plates		7/6
11/7/1761	William Chamberlin Dp self & 2 doz. Pewter Plates 1 Pewter dish 2 2 lb	k wife 2/	12/~ 5/~
11/8/1761	Mr. Joseph Combs Dp self 1 Iron Pott 44 lb 1 doz. Cups & Saucers I Tortose Shell Tea Pott		npl npl npl
11/9/1761	Mr. Thomas Piedman Dp self 1 Sifter 2 doz. Pewter Plates	1/8 24/~	1/8 12/~
11/9/1761	Moses Arnell Dp George 1 quart mug for Nelly Wood	1/3	1/3
11/9/1761	John Young for Allan the Tayl 3 Milk Pans 1 quart mug larther [?] 2 small mugs 1 Tortoes Shell Tea Pott	or 1/~ /7 2 /3 : 2/~	3/~ ~/7 2 ~/7 2 2/~
11/9/1761	Richard Hoggins Dp self 1 Iron Pott 9 2 lb 1 Fraying pan 6 lb 2 oz 1 Sifter	/5 1/~ 1/8	3/11 2 6/2 1/8

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11/11/1761	Jeremiah Wood Dp wife 2 doz. Pewter Plates		24/~
11/13/1761	Capt. Calmes Dp self & wife 1 footer Jugg		~/7 2
11/13/1761	Joseph Combs 1 Fraying Pan	/6 2	ntpl
11/14/1761	James Wood Dp self 1 Milk pott 2 Bowls @ /4, 1 ditto @ /7 2	/7 2	~/7 2 1/3 2
11/14/1761	John Timmons Dp self & wife 2 Bowls 2 ditto 1 ditto 2 doz Coffee cups 2 Delph Dishes 1 Milk pott 2 glass 1 Tumbler	<pre>/7 2 /4 1/3 2/1 /7 2 /7 2 1/~</pre>	1/3 ~/8 1/3 2/6 4/~ /7 2 1/3 1/~
11/14/1761	Daniel Morgan Dp self 1 pint mug for Mrs. Timmons		npl
11/16/1761	Taliferro Striplin Dp self 1 doz. cups & saucers 1 Tea pott 1 Sugar Box 1 paper Box 1 Bowl 1 milk pott	5/ 1/6 1/6 /7 2 /7 2	5/~ 1/6 1/6 ~/7 2 1/3 ~/7 2
11/21/1761	William Wood senior Dp self 1 Tea Kettle 1 quart mugg	and wife 13/ 1/3	13/~ 1/3
11/23/1761	Bayles Tanley Dp self 1 Pewter Dish 3.4 9 Pewter Plates	2/1 2/1	6/6 18/~
11/23/1761	James WoodDp self1 Iron Pott20 lb	/5	8/4
11/24/1761	William Howells Dp self 1 Pewter Dish 4.4 oz	2/	8/6

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12/2/1761	Henry Hamilton 1 sifter	1/8	1/8
12/4/1761	William Wood senior Dp self 1 Tea Kettle 3 3	& wife 4/6	16/10
12/5/1761	Peter Cattlet Dp Miller 1 Sifter		1/8
12/5/1761	Joseph Combs Dp self & Allar 2 Chamber potts	n the Taylor	npl
12/7/1761	James Stevenson Dp wife 1 doz cups & saucers 1 Tea Pott	5/1 1/6	5/~ 1/6
12/7/1761	Mr. Thrasaer Dp self 1 water jugg	2/6	2/6
12/8/1761	Elijah Comb Dp self 2 doz. Delph plates 1 pint mugg	7/6 /7 2	3/9 ~/7 2
12/8/1761	William Wood Junior Dp self 1 quart mugg	1/8	1/8
12/8/1761	Elijah Wood Dp self & wife 1 Delph Dish	2/1	2/1
12/11/1761	William Telson Dp self 1 doz. table knives & forks	7/8	7/8
12/12/1761	Joseph Combs Dp self 1 Larger water jugg		npl
12/16/1761	William Wood senior Dp self 1 doz. Table knives & forks	8/6	8/6
12/19/1761	Stephen Carpenter Dp David A 1 Sifter	Ashbeyal 1/8	1/8
12/22/1761	Taliferro Striplin Dp self 1 Sifter	1/8	1/8
1/14/1762	John Cansion Dp self 1 Earthen mugg	/7 2	ntpl

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1/15/1762	Mr. Frances Dives Dp self 1 Pewter Basson 1 ditto	6/ 5/	6/~ 5/~
	1 Pewter dish 3 3 lb	2/	6/6
1/18/1762	William Wood senior Dp self	& wife	
	1 Chamber Pott	1/3	1/3
1/21/1762	James Barnett Dp self	<b>•</b> //	<b>0</b> /1
	1 Tea pott	2/1	2/1
1/22/1762	Mrs. Baylis Casley Dp self 1 Sifter	1/8	1/8
	3 butter potts	2/6	1/8 7/6
2/3/1762	Michael Dearmans Dp self		
	2 Drinking glass	/7 2	ntpl
2/5/1762	Jeremiah Wood Dp wife		
	2 Butter potts	2/6	ntpl
2/5/1762	Henry Hampton Dp self 1 sifter	1/8	1 /0
			1/8
2/7/1762	Joseph Combs Dp self for [ill 1 sifter	egible]	npl
	1 Earthen mugg		npl
2/7/1762	James Barnett Dp self		
	1 Sifter 1 doz. Table knives & forks	1/8 7/6	1/8 7/6
	1 Bowl	2/6	2/6
2/8/1762	James Barnett Dp wife		
	1 Butter Pott	/7 2	ntpl
2/8/1762	James Barnett Dp self	1/0	
	1 Chamber pott	1/8	ntpl
2/8/1762	John Nichols Dp self & wife	1/2	. 1
	3 mug 1 milk bowl	1/3 ~/9	ntpl ntpl
	2 ditto	/7 2	ntpl
	1 Drinking glass	/7 2	ntpl
2/9/1762	Mr. Frances Howell Dp self		
	1 doz. Table knives & forks		7/~

2/10/1762	Capt. Rodgers Dp Daughter 1 Pewter Dish 2 2 lb	2/	ntpl
2/12/1762	James Barnett Dp self & wife 1 doz. Delph plates 2 Delph Dishes	7/6 2/3	ntpl ntpl
2/15/1762	[name illegible] Dp self & wife 1 tea pott	e 2/	2/~
2/15/1762	Capt. Robert Ashley Dp self 1 Butter pott	/7 2	ntpl
2/15/1762	John Win Dp self & wife 1 Butter pott	/7 2	ntpl
2/19/1762	Mr. Isreal Fesler Dp wife 2 Earthen muggs		/ <b>7</b> 2
2/22/1762	Joseph Combs Dp self 2 Large Earthen Milk pans		npl
2/24/1762	James Barnett Dp self & wife 1 Butter pott	2/6	ntpl
2/24/1762	James Blerders Dp self 3 Pewter Plates 1 Pewter Dish 1 : lb 1 Pewter Tankard	2/ 2/ 5/	6/~ 3/6 5/~
2/27/1762	Howard Swigaro Dp self 2 Earthen 3 mugs 1 Bowl 1 Bowl	/7 2 1/3 /7 2	ntpl ntpl ntpl
3/4/1762	Mr. Frances Howell Dp self 1 Fraying pan 4 3 lb	1/~	ntpl
3/6/1762	Achilles Tooler Dp self 1 Fraying pan 5 lb	1/~	ntpl
3/7/1762	Benjamin Fiely Dp self 1 Sifter	1/8	ntpl
3/11/1762	Taliferro Streyling Dp self 1 tumbler	/3 :	ntpl

3/23/1762	William Redman Dp self 1 Iron Pott 3 2 lb	~/5	/13.3 2
3/23/1762	James BarnettDp self1 Iron Pott5 lb1 Iron pott45 lb1 Iron Pott26 lb	~/5 ~/5	2/1 18/9 npl
3/24/1762	James BendensDp self1 Iron Pott15 lb3 Pewter Plates	/9 3 2/	7/5 2 6/~
3/24/1762	Henry Chiles Dp self 3 Pewter Plates	2/~	ntpl
3/24/1762	Thomas Howell Dp self 1 Iron pott 16 lb	/5	6/8
3/25/1762	William Wood Senior Dp self 3 Pewter Dishes	27/6	1/17/6
3/25/1762	Benjamin Ashbey Dp self 2 Iron Potts 13 2 lb	/5	ntpl
3/26/1762	Elyah Combs Dp self 1 Iron Pott 15 lb	/5	ntpl
4/15/1762	William Tasser Dp self 1 Earthen 3 mugg	/7 2	ntpl
4/23/1762	Edward Snigos Dp self and yo 1 Earthen Bowl	oung man	ntpl
5/3/1762	William Wood Senior Dp wif 2 gallon mugg 1 quart mugg	e 2/6 1/3	ntpl ntpl
5/10/1762	Taliferro Stripling Dp self & v 2 Pewter bassons 6 s milk pans 1 Delph Dish 1 ditto	wife 5/ 6/ 3/ 2/	10/~ 3/~ 3/~ 2/~
5/11/1762	William Harrel Dp self 1 pint mugg	/7 2	ntpl
5/13/1762	Henry Chiles Dp self		

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	3 mugg 1/3		ntpl	
5/15/1762	Richard Thrisher Dp self 3 mugg 1/3		ntpl	
5/19/1762	Capt. [illegible] Calinar Dp 1 water jugg	self		npl
5/19/1762	Jeremiah Wood Dp wife 1 Water jugg	4/6		ntpl
5/19/1762	Jacob Foster Dp wife 1 Butter pott	2/6		ntpl
5/26/1762	William Howell Dp wife 4 milk pans	2/6		2/6
5/30/1762	Henry Carlin Dp self & wife 6 bowls 1 pint mugg	e /4 /7 2		ntpl ntpl
5/31/1762	Richard Thrisher Dp self & 1 doz. cups & saucers 1 milk pott 1 sugar box 2 Delph [illegible] 1 Bowl 1 Bowl	wife 5/1 1/6 7/6 /6		5/~ 1/~ 1/6 3/9 ~/6 ~/6
6/7/1762	Thomas Wadlington Dp self1 Sugar Box1 Milk pott1 Large tea pott2 gallon mugg3 mugg1/3	f 1/6 2/6	1/3	1/6 ~/7 2 2/~ 2/6
6/23/1762	William Wood senior Dp se 1 Water Jugg 1 ditto 1 ditto 2 pint muggs	elf & wife 2/6 1/6 1/3 /7 2		ntpl ntpl ntpl ntpl
6/23/1762	Wm Wood Dp self & wife 2 deep Delph Dishes	2/3		ntpl
6/30/1762	Joseph Comb Dp self 1 Water jugg returned			npl

7/3/1762	William Redman Dp self 2 milk pans 1 ditto	/8 /10		ntpl ntpl
7/3/1762	Joseph Comb Dp self & wife 1 dz. cups & saucers 2 gall. bowl 3 bowl			npl npl npl
8/2/1762	Benjamin Barry Dp [illegible] 1 Sifter	1/8		ntpl
8/2/1762	Edward Sniker Dp Thomas Do 1 Large Tea pott	prsey 2/6		ntpl
8/5/1762	Thomas Blekimore 1 Chamber pott 2 Pewter Bassons 1 ditto	1/3 7/ 5/		ntpl 14/~ 5/~
8/5/1762	Tomas Barnett Dp Mrs. Blekin 4 cups & saucers	more 5/1		1/8
8/5/1762	James Barnett Dp self 1 doz Table knives & forks 2 dz Pewter Plates 2 Pewter Plates	7/6 24/ 2/		7/6 12/~ 4/~
8/14/1762	William Coch 3 mugg 1/2		ntpl	
8/17/1762	Edward Sniker 1 Bigg Tea Pott 1 Small Tea Pott	2/1		npl ntpl
8/23/1762	James Barnett 3 mugg 1/3 1 gallon stone mugg		ntpl	npl
9/3/1762	Thomas Poolgate Dp self & w 3 mugg 1/3 1 pint mugg	ife /7 2	ntpl	ntpl
9/4/1762	Bayles Combes Dp self 1 doz Table knives & forks	7/		ntpl

9/11/1762	Jerome Wood Dp self & wife 1 dz Delph plates 1 Dish Delph	6/6 12/	ntpl ntpl
9/22/1762	William Wood senior Dp w & 1 [illegible] Water Jugg 1 Dutch Stone jugg	s 3/ 4/6	ntpl ntpl
9/23/1762	Thomas Wallace Dp self & with 1 Pewter Dish 1 ditto ditto	fe 3/9 3/~	ntpl ntpl
9/24/1762	Thomas Hilo Dp self 1 doz cups & saucers 1 milk pott	5/	ntpl npl
9/24/1762	Elisha Tuall Dp self 1 doz Table knives & forks		5/~
10/2/1762	John Marsh Dp self & wife 2 milk pots	4/	8/~
10/4/1762	William Wood Senior Dp self a 3 mugg 1/2	& wife	ntpl
10/5/1762	Capt. Richard Ashbey Dp self 1 Coffee pott	6/6	ntpl
10/7/1762	Jno William Dp self 1 Sifter	1/~	ntpl
10/8/1762	<ul> <li>William Wood Senior Dp wife</li> <li>2 dz Delph Plates</li> <li>2 large Delph Dishes</li> <li>2 gallon bowls</li> <li>6 quart bowls</li> <li>2 doz tea cups</li> <li>1 Sugar Box</li> </ul>		10/~ 5/~ 3/~ 5/~ 8/~ 1/6
10/9/1762	John William Dp self 1 Sifter		1/8
10/17/1762	Edward Sniker Dp self 2 dz bowls 2 dz bowls 4 bowls 2 dz wine glass	1/3 /7 2 2/6 /7 2	ntpl ntpl ntpl ntpl

1 dz Delph plates

7/6

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	1 dz ditto ditto 1 Dutch stone water jugg	7/6 4/6		ntpl ntpl
10/18/1762	Taliferro Shipling Dp self 1 Stone [illegible] jugg			npl
10/25/1762	John Wine Dp self 1 Bre water jugg	1/6		ntpl
10/26/1762	George Henderson Dp self 3 mugg 1/8		ntpl	
10/28/1762	Capt. Thomas Calen Dp self 6 bowls 1 bowl	1/8 2/6		ntpl ntpl
10/28/1762	John Colson Dp self & wife 1 bowl	1/8		ntpl
10/31/1762	Taylor Preisse 3 qt bowls 2 pint bowls 2 doz Delph plates	1/3		ntpl npl npl
12/3/1762	John Yeseres Dp self 1 Pewter basson	6/~		ntpl
12/14/1762	Henry Chiles Dp self 1 Pewter Dish	6/~		ntpl
12/16/1762	Ambrose Raisir Dp self & wife 1 Coffee pott 3 Earthen milk pans 1 Sifter 1 Tea Kettle	5/ /5 1/8 17/		5/~ 1/3 1/8 17/~
12/17/1762	Benjamin Kelly Dp self 1 Sifter	1/8		ntpl
12/17/1762	Edward Sniker Dp George Dav 1 Pewter Dish	wkins 7/4		7/4
12/17/1762	Benjamin Pritcher Dp self 2 Pewter Bassons	6/6		ntpl
12/23/1762	Peter Cattlet Dp negro Tom 1 Sifter	1/8		ntpl

12/23/1762	[name illegible] Henderpoles 1 Dutch Water Jugg	2/6	ntpl
12/23/1762	Jno Anderson Dp self 1 fraying pan	5/	ntpl
12/23/1762	Nehemiah Ferguson Dp self 1 wine glass	/9	ntpl
12/24/1762	John Colson Dp self 1 sifter	1/8	ntpl
1/17/1763	Taliferro Stripling Dp wife 1 sifter	1/8	ntpl
1/17/1763	George Dawkins Dp self 1 sifter	1/8	ntpl
1/18/1763	George Henderson Dp wife 1 Chamber pott	1/3	ntpl
1/19/1763	Henry Carsen Dp self & wife 5 water juggs	1/6	ntpl
1/20/1763	Mrs. Bridget Meiden Dp self 1 sifter	1/8	ntpl
1/20/1763 1/20/1763	1 sifter		ntpl
			ntpl 4/9
	1 sifter Laslan Meiden Dp self and wi	fe	-
	1 sifter Laslan Meiden Dp self and wi 1 Pewter Dish	fe 4/9	4/9
1/20/1763	1 sifter Laslan Meiden Dp self and wi 1 Pewter Dish 1 ditto ditto 2 Pewter basson	fe 4/9 5/6	4/9 5/6
	<ol> <li>sifter</li> <li>Laslan Meiden Dp self and with</li> <li>Pewter Dish</li> <li>ditto ditto</li> <li>Pewter basson</li> <li>John Groves Dp wife</li> </ol>	fe 4/9 5/6 5/6	4/9 5/6 11/~
1/20/1763	<ol> <li>sifter</li> <li>Laslan Meiden Dp self and with</li> <li>Pewter Dish</li> <li>ditto ditto</li> <li>Pewter basson</li> <li>John Groves Dp wife</li> <li>Tea Pott</li> </ol>	fe 4/9 5/6 5/6 1/6	4/9 5/6 11/~ ntpl
1/20/1763	<ol> <li>sifter</li> <li>Laslan Meiden Dp self and with</li> <li>Pewter Dish</li> <li>ditto ditto</li> <li>Pewter basson</li> <li>John Groves Dp wife</li> </ol>	fe 4/9 5/6 5/6	4/9 5/6 11/~
1/20/1763	<ol> <li>sifter</li> <li>Laslan Meiden Dp self and with</li> <li>Pewter Dish</li> <li>ditto ditto</li> <li>Pewter basson</li> <li>John Groves Dp wife</li> <li>Tea Pott</li> </ol>	fe 4/9 5/6 5/6 1/6	4/9 5/6 11/~ ntpl
1/20/1763 2/7/1763	<ol> <li>sifter</li> <li>Laslan Meiden Dp self and with</li> <li>Pewter Dish</li> <li>ditto ditto</li> <li>Pewter basson</li> <li>John Groves Dp wife</li> <li>Tea Pott</li> <li>doz cups &amp; saucers</li> </ol>	fe 4/9 5/6 5/6 1/6	4/9 5/6 11/~ ntpl
1/20/1763 2/7/1763	<ol> <li>sifter</li> <li>Laslan Meiden Dp self and with</li> <li>Pewter Dish</li> <li>ditto ditto</li> <li>Pewter basson</li> <li>John Groves Dp wife</li> <li>Tea Pott</li> <li>doz cups &amp; saucers</li> <li>Benjamin Rutherford Dp self</li> </ol>	fe 4/9 5/6 5/6 1/6 2/6	4/9 5/6 11/~ ntpl
1/20/1763 2/7/1763 2/9/1763	<ol> <li>sifter</li> <li>Laslan Meiden Dp self and with</li> <li>Pewter Dish</li> <li>ditto ditto</li> <li>Pewter basson</li> <li>John Groves Dp wife</li> <li>Tea Pott</li> <li>doz cups &amp; saucers</li> <li>Benjamin Rutherford Dp self</li> <li>Dutch Stone jugg</li> <li>William Callisness Dp self</li> </ol>	fe 4/9 5/6 5/6 1/6 2/6 3/	4/9 5/6 11/~ ntpl ntpl

3/5/1763	Mrs. William Cook Dp self 1 dz cups & saucers	5/	ntpl
	1 tea pott	2/ /9	ntpl
	1 milk pott 1 Bowl	1/3	ntpl
	4 Bowls	/7 2	ntpl
	4 BOWIS	112	ntpl
3/5/1763	William Cattlet Dp self		
	1 dz cups & suacers	5/	ntpl
	1 Tea pott	2/	ntpl
3/24/1763	Daniall Padmains, Dn salf		
5/24/1/05	Daniell Redmeins Dp self 1 fraving pan 5 lb	1/	ntnl
	1 fraying pan 5 lb	1/	ntpl
3/28/1763	William Barber Dp self		
	2 doz Pewter plates	24/	12/~
	1 Pewter Dish		7/~
4/5/1763	Lewis Bismark Dp self		
4/3/1703	1 sifter	1/10	ntpl
	1 Silter	1/10	шрі
4/6/1763	Capt. Nimrod Colby Dp wife		
	1 Tinn Coffie Pott	3/6	ntpl
	1 Water Jugg	3/	ntpl
4/23/1763	William Allason Dp self		
	2 Pewter bassons	5/	10/~
	2 doz Pewter spoons	6/	3/~
4/23/1763	Jeremiah Fergusen Dp self	- (	
	2 Pewter bassons	7/	ntpl
4/23/1763	John Allans Dp self		
	1 Sifter	1/10	ntpl
4/28/1763	Talifama Strinhling Dr. salf @	ifa	
4/28/1/05	Taliferro Stripbling Dp self & 1 Pewter Dish	4/9	ntol
	1 Porringer	2/	ntpl
	1 Formger	21	ntpl
5/12/1763	Doctor Humphrey Wills Dp v		
	1 dz cups & saucers	5/	5/~
	2 bowls	1/3	2/6
	2 bowls	/7 2	1/3
5/23/1763	Joseph Georges Dp self		
2,22,1100	2 Pewter bassens	7/6	15/~

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	1 Pewter Dish	7/6	7/6
	3 Pewter Plates	2/	6/~
5/27/1763	John Nicholls Dp self		
	1 Pewter bassen	5/	ntpl
	1 ditto ditto	11/	ntpl
5/28/1763	Thomas Wallace Dp self		
5/20/1705	2 Pewter bassens	7/6	ntpl
			T
5/31/1763	William Cooksponet		
	1 Wooden Tub	2/6	ntpl
	1 ditto smaller	1/6	ntpl
6/4/1763	Jesse Davies Dp self		
0/4/1/03	2 dz Delph plates	6/6	ntpl
		0,0	mpi
6/11/1763	Mr. Frances Taylor		
	1 Pewter Dish	7/3	ntpl
	1 ditto ditto	5/4	ntpl
	1 Pewter bassen	7/6	ntpl
	1 ditto	5/6	ntpl
6/17/1763	Harrison Taylor Dp self		
0/1//1/03	1 Tinn Coffie Pott	4/6	ntpl
			•
6/18/1763	William Allan Dp Rieker Nels		
	1 pint mugg	/7 2	ntpl
C/21/17C2	John Dahasin, Dr. salf		
6/21/1763	John Rebeoin Dp self 1 sifter	2/	ntpl
	1 sitter	21	шрі
6/29/1763	Capt. Edward Rodgers Dp self		
	1 Stone Water Jugg	4/6	4/6
	1 ditto bassen	3/6	3/6
	1 pint mugg	/9	~/9
6/29/1763	Mrs. Joseph Dizzy		
0/2//1/05	2 dz Delph plates	7/6	ntpl
	1 Chamber pott	1/3	ntpl
	<b>r</b>		.L
7/5/1763	Taliffero Stripbling Dp wife		
	1 dz cups & saucers	5/	ntpl
7/5/1763	Taliffero Stripbling Dp wife		
115/1705	1 dz Table knives & forks	4/	ntpl
		"	mpi
7/6/1763	William Tapp Dp self		

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	1 Stone Water Jugg w Breks in the stone	3/		ntpl
7/14/1763	Taliferro Stripbling Dp self 1 Stone Water Jugg 1 butter knife	3/ 1/		ntpl ntpl
7/21/1763	Mrs. Toster Potts 1 Dutch Water Jugg 1 Water Jugg 1 Stone Water Jugg	4/6 3/ 1/10		ntpl ntpl ntpl
7/25/1763	Stephen Smith Dp self 1 Sifter	2/		ntpl
7/26/1763	Thomas Edwards 2 Pewter bassens 2 ditto smaller 1 Chamber pott	7/6 6/		15/~ 12/~ 1/3
7/29/1763	John Pieno Dp self 1 Iron Pott 25 lb 1 Sifter	/5 1/8		12/6 1/8
7/29/1763	Robert Gidlis Dp self 4 pewter poringers			7/~
8/5/1763	Henry Hamilton Dp self 4 Pewter Porringer			7/~
8/5/1763	John Matthews Dp self 1 sifter			2/~
8/9/1763	John White 21 Pewter bassens 47 lb 17 pewter dishes 61 2 lb	/8 /10	} }	4/10/5
8/9/1763	John Groves Dp self 1 Water Jugg	3/		ntpl
8/9/1763	Benjamin Holly Dp wife 1 Water Jugg 1 ditto 1 sifter	3/6 2/6		ntpl ntpl npl
8/9/1763	Matthew Kelly Dp wife 1 Water Jugg	3/6		ntpl

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	1 ditto	2/6	ntpl
8/9/1763	Arnold Neits Dp self 2 Pewter Plates	2/	ntpl
8/10/1763	Thomas Wallace 1 Stone Water Jugg	4/6	ntpl
8/10/1763	Nehemiah Fergusen Dp self 1 Bro. Water Jugg 1 ditto 1 ditto 1 Bro. ditto	2/6 3/6 2/6 2/6	ntpl ntpl ntpl ntpl
8/12/1763	William Wood Senior Dp wife 2 dz cups & saucers	5/	ntpl
8/15/1763	Lewish Bismah Dp self & wife 1 Earthen billers pott	1/	ntpl
8/16/1763	Mrs. Cattlet Dp Mrs. Nelson 1 Chamber pott	1/3	ntpl
8/24/1763	John Groves Dp self 1 Pewter bassen 1 ditto	7/6 6/	ntpl ntpl
8/24/1763	Thomas Colsen Dp self 1 Stone Water jugg	8/	ntpl
8/30/1763	William Cook Dp self 1 Butter pott 1 Sifter	2/ 2/	ntpl ntpl
8/31/1763	James Barnett Dp self 1 butter knife	/9	ntpl
8/31/1763	Thomas Blekimore Dp. Mr. Ba 1 sifter	rnett 1/10	ntpl
9/1/1763	John Youngself Dp wife 1 Chamber pott	1/6	ntpl
9/3/1763	William Gist Dp self 1 sifter 1 tinn lanthern	1/8 8/6	ntpl ntpl
9/5/1763	Peter Cattlet Dp self 1 fraying pan	6/3	ntpl

9/16/1763	Joseph Conibo Dp self		
	1 Butter pott	2/	ntpl
	1 ditto	1/8	ntpl
	1 Water Jugg	1/6	ntpl

[End of pertinent entries in this daybook. The last recorded sale in this daybook occurred on 11/5/1763.]

### B. Sharpsburgh, Washington County, Maryland Store Operated by an Unidentified Merchant, 1809-1813.

*Source*: Sharpsburgh, Washington County, Maryland Store; *Daybook*, December 2, 1809-February 17, 1813; Archive Collections Ledger 12, Washington County Historical Society, Hagerstown, Maryland.

This *Daybook* was used by store clerks to record the daily sales transactions of a general store that was located in Sharpsburgh (today spelled "Sharpsburg"), Washington County, Maryland, and operated by an unidentified merchant. This book is organized in the manner of a typical daybook. This accounting record contains approximately 164 pages of sales entries, with an average of 13 sales transactions recorded on each page, for a total of approximately 2,132 total sales transactions.

Relevant sales transactions involving housewares during that time period are itemized below in a manner similar to the way the store clerks recorded them in the *Daybook*. The sales of housewares listed below total to just 80 sales transactions out of that total of approximately 2,132, or approximately four percent of the total sales transactions in the daybook. The pricing information is listed primarily in pounds, shilling and pence, with occasional reference to dollars and cents.

<u>Date</u> 12/2/1809	<u>Customer</u> Henry Miller, Ante Eatum Iron Works D		
	<u>Items Purchased</u> 1 Tin Bucket pr his wife	7/6	<u>Prices</u> ntpl
12/2/1809	Charles Downs D 6 Blue Edge Plates	/8	4/~
1/8/1810	William Wade D 1 Large Sugar Bowl	9/4	ntpl
3/13/1810	William Wade D 1 Set of Best Knives & Forks		14/1
4/19/1810	Charles Downs D 1 Sett Knives & Forks by his d	aughter	11/3

5/21/1810	George Heavener D		
	1 Stone Jug	3/9	ntpl
	1 Stone Jug by his father	1/6	ntpl
5/28/1810	George Heavener D		
	1 Stone Picher by his father	/11	ntpl
	, s		1
6/13/1810	Michael Thomas of Peter D		
	2 dozn metal Tea spoons		3/9
6/13/1810	Patrick Boyles		
	1 Set Real Buck Knives & For	ks	18/9
	1 Stone Picher		1/6
6/20/1810	Daniel Benner D		
0/20/1010	1 Tin Bucket	16 2	ntpl
	1 Set Knives & Forks	8/6	ntpl
	1 Set Cups & Saucers	1/10 2	ntpl
	1 Tin Cup	/8	—
	1 Thi Cup	/8	ntpl
6/28/1810	George Heavener D		
	1 Coffee pot	7/6	ntpl
	2 doz Tin cups	7/6	ntpl
	1 doz Edge Plates	7/6	ntpl
	6 small Edge Plates	2/9 2	ntpl
	2 Dishes	2/4	ntpl
	2 Stone Jars	2/6 & 3/3	ntpl
7/24/1810	Daniel Benner D		
//24/1010	1 quart Stone Jug	/11	ntpl
	I quart Stone Jug	/11	ntpl
8/4/1810	Jacob Hines D		
	1 Stone Jug	3/9	ntpl
9/22/1810	Widow Thomas		
<i>J122</i> /1010	1 Dutch oven	11/3	ntpl
	1 Iron pot	57 2	ntpl
	1 pare flat Irons	11/3	ntpl
	1 Set Cups & Saucers	3/9	ntpl
	6 Blue and Green Edge Plates	/8	4/~
	_	70	2/9 2
	5 Green Edge & White ditto 1 Cream Jug	11/~	
	1 Sauceller	/5 2	ntpl
	1 Tea Pot	73 Z 3/9	ntpl
			ntpl
	1 Sugar Dish	1/10 2	ntpl
	2 Col'd Bowls	1/10 2	ntpl
	6 table spoons	7/6	ntpl

	6 tea spoons 1 Tin Bucket 1 Set of Knives & forks 1 Coffee Pot	3/9 7/6 9/11 2 3/9	482 ntpl ntpl ntpl ntpl
10/1/1810	William W. Eavans D 3 White Bowls	1/7 2	ntpl
11/24/1810	John Bartoon D 1 Quart Bottle	1/3	ntpl
12/1/1810	William W. Eavans D 1 white chamber pot	2/6	ntpl
12/12/1810	Joseph Crown D 2 half pint tumblers		1/10 2
12/22/1810	William Guy D 1 Stone Jug	3/9	ntpl
12/27/1810	Daniel Painter D 2 Set knives & forks	7/6	3/9
12/31/1810	Joseph Crown D 1 White Chamber Pot		3/~
1/22/1811	Elizabeth Chaplin D 1 Small Dutch Oven by son		9/4 2
2/12/1811	John Heble D 1 Stone Jug		3/9
2/15/1811	Francis McNamee D 1 Tea Pott		3/9
3/11/1811	Joseph Crown D 1 Set of knives & forks		7/6
3/27/1811	Henry Moss D 1 Frying Pan 1 Tin Bucket	7/1 2 7/6	ntpl ntpl
4/3/1811	Henry Moss D 3 Metal Table Spoons		3/9
4/3/1811	Jacob Hines D 1 Set of Cups & Saucers pr wife	•	4/3

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4/12/1811	Elizabeth Chaplin D 1 Set white cups & saucers 1 white Bowl	/7	1/10 2 ntpl
4/13/1811	Kelly Cose D 1 Set of white cups & saucers		2/6
4/25/1811	Kelly Cose D 2 Tin Cups	/8	1/4
5/6/1811	Jacob Smith D 3 Mettal Table Spoons	7/6	3/9
5/9/1811	Elizabeth Chaplin D 4 : lb of Pewter 3/9 1 Set of white coffee cups & sa 1 Mustard Pot 6 white plates 1 Watern Pott	ucers /9 /6	2/4 ntpl 3/~ 9/4 2
5/11/1811	Jacob Smith D 2 Set of knives & forks	13/6	6/9
6/10/1811	Samuel Dorf D 1 Stone Jug		1/8
6/14/1811	John Dawson D 1 Small Jug	/8	ntpl
6/19/1811	Daniel Piper D 2 Sets knives & forks	13/1 2	11/3
6/20/1811	William W. Evans D 1 Set of Best Buck Knives & F	orks	18/9
6/20/1811	Samuel Dorff D 1 Tumbler 1 wine glass	1/3 /10	ntpl ntpl
6/26/1811	Frederick Myers D 2 Set knives & forks 3 Tin Cups	5/7 2 2/1	ntpl ntpl
6/26/1811	John Good D 1 Set Cups & Saucers	2/4	ntpl
6/26/1811	Conrad Bowers D 2 dozen Small White Bowls	2/92	ntpl

6/28/1811	Jacob Myers Senior D 2 Gallon Bottle	2/6	ntpl
6/28/1811	George Heavener D 1 Set Best Knives & Forks	\$2.50	18/9
8/28/1811	John Dawson D 4 White Dishes	4/10 2	ntpl
8/28/1811	William W. Eavans D 1 Stone Jar	4/6	ntpl

[End of pertinent entries in this Daybook. The last recorded sale in this daybook occurred on 2/17/1813.]

# C. Leesburg, Loudoun County, Virginia Store Operated by J. E. Dangerfield, 1812-1817.

*Source*: Leesburg, Loudoun County, Virginia Store Operated by J. E. Dangerfield; *Ledger*, 1812-1817; Manuscript Collection, Accession No. Mss. 6423, Special Collections Department, Alderman Library, University of Virginia, Charlottesville, Virginia.

This *Ledger* book was used by store clerks to record the sales transactions, debits and credits associated with each customer of a general store that was located in Leesburg, Loudoun County, Virginia, and operated by a J. E. Dangerfield. This book is organized as a ledger, organized by customer name, with each customer's purchases listed as debits, which are offset by an accompanying list of credits for each customer. This ledger covers the period of 1812-1817, and contains approximately 174 pages of sales entries, with an average of 60 sales transactions recorded on each debit page, for a total of approximately 10,440 sales transactions.

Relevant sales transactions involving housewares during that time period are itemized below in a manner similar to the way the store clerks recorded them in this ledger, but are listed here in chronological order, rather than organized by customer name. The sales of housewares listed below total to just 47 sales transactions out of that total of approximately 10,440, or approximately one half of one percent of the total sales transactions in the ledger. The pricing information is listed primarily in pounds, shillings and pence.

<u>Date</u>	<u>Customer</u>
1/29/1812	Jesse O'Rear Inn Dp

<u>Items Purchased</u> Tumblers <u>Prices</u> 5/3

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7/18/1812	Jesse O'Rear Inn Dp Plates	1/7/2
8/20/1812	Robert Burwell Dp Pitcher	4/~
9/16/1812	Miss Adrian Burwell Dp Pitcher	2/~
10/20/1812	William Meade Dp Plate	2/3
11/20/1812	Robert Burwell Dp Tumbler	10/~
5/10/1813	Jesse O'Rear Inn Dp dishes	10/6
6/16/1813	Mrs. Mary Page Dp Tumblers	1/9
4/19/1814	James Richeson Dp Dish	<b>3/9</b> 2
7/11/1814	Nathaniel Burwell Dp Bowls	5/6
8/8/1814	William Burwell Dp Tumbler	3/6
9/28/1814	Mrs. Mary Page Dp Pot	1/9
10/17/1814	James Richeson Dp knives & forks	24/~
6/23/1815	Rich K. Meade Dp Tumbler	10/2
7/12/1815	James Surghnor Dp Pitcher	5/~
7/15/1815	Joseph Fauntleroy Dp C. Pots	5/~
7/15/1815	George Hesser Dp Dishes	5/~

8/25/1815	Matthew Page Dp C. Pots	5/~
10/30/1815	Mrs. Sarah Nelson Dp Plates	72/~
4/2/1816	William Burwell Dp C. Pots	6/~
5/10/1816	Mrs. Lucy Burwell Dp Frying pan	8/4
6/7/1816	Phillip Burwell Dp Glasses	15/~
7/3/1816	James Towers Dp spoons	4/~
7/19/1816	Adam Bosteyon Dp stone pot	1/9
8/3/1816	Mrs. Mary Page Dp Dishes	14/6
9/13/1816	Phillip Nelson Dp Pitcher	2/~
9/14/1816	Phillip Nelson Dp Mugs	4/~
12/14/1816	Dennis O'Connor Dp Dish	3/6
12/19/1816	John W. Baylor Dp Pan	7/6
12/21/1816	Christopher Criglar Dp Plates	9/6
12/28/1816	Christopher Criglar Dp Mug	1/~
1/6/1817	John W. Baylor Dp Pitcher	6/~
1/17/1817	John W. Baylor Dp Spoons	5/7/2

2/5/1817	John W. Baylor Dp C. Pot	3/~
2/13/1817	James Richeson Dp Spoons	5/7/2
3/8/1817	Matthew Page Dp Tumblers	6/~
3/26/1817	George Hesser Dp Plates	6/~
4/28/1817	George Hesser Dp Plates	2/3
6/10/1817	George Hesser Dp Dishes	6/~
7/9/1817	Nicholas Handle Dp Pitcher	2/6
7/13/1817	Peter Barr Dp Cups & Saucers	8/~
7/22/1817	George Hesser Dp Pitcher	6/~
9/12/1817	George Hesser Dp Pitcher	6/~
10/4/1817	James Lindsey Dp knives & forks	19/6
11/11/1817	Lucy Burwell Dp Kettle	25/3 :
11/26/1817	Mrs. Huldah Berry Dp China	10/6
11/28/1817	George Hesser Dp dishes	7/6
	[End of pertinent entries in period of 1812-1817.]	

### D. Winchester, Shenandoah County, Virginia Store Operated by Isaac Lauck & Company, 1813-1815.

*Source*: Winchester, Shenandoah County, Virginia Store Operated by Isaac Lauck & Company; *Daybook*, 1813-1815; Manuscript Collection, Faulkner Family Papers, Accession No. Mss. 1F2735aFA2, Virginia Historical Society, Richmond, Virginia.

This *Daybook* was used by store clerks to record the daily sales transactions of a general store that was located in Winchester, Shenandoah County, Virginia, and operated by Isaac Lauck & Company. This book is organized in the manner of a typical daybook. This accounting record, which covers the period of August 20, 1813 through July 11, 1815, contains approximately 142 pages of sales entries, with an average of 15 sales transactions recorded on each page, for a total of approximately 2,130 total sales transactions.

Relevant sales transactions involving housewares during that time period are itemized below in a manner similar to the way the store clerks recorded them in the *Daybook*. The sales of housewares listed below total to just 38 sales transactions out of that total of approximately 2,130, or approximately two percent of the total sales transactions in the daybook. The pricing information is listed primarily in pounds, shillings and pence, with some references in dollars and cents.

<u>Date</u> 8/20/1813	<u>Customer</u> John Smith Dp Lady		
	<u>Items Purchased</u> 1 Doz. Plates &c	11/3 & 15/~	<u>Prices</u> 1/6/3
9/25/1813	George Hass Dp self 1 pitcher	1/9	ntpl
10/1/1813	Joseph Baldwin Dp Lady 2 [illegible] Dishes 2 Doz. Dining Plates 1 Bowl	6/9 & 7/6 15/~	1/4/3 7/6 1/3
10/8/1813	Henry Miller Dp self one set of cups	5/6	ntpl
10/22/1813	George [illegible] Dp self 9/12 Doz. Dining plates	15/	11/3
11/5/1813	Lewis Young Dp self Cups & saucers	6/9	ntpl

11/5/1813	Peter Lauck Dp Lady 1 Sett knives & forks	\$3.50	1/9/6
11/9/1813	John Cunningham Dp 1 Large pot	16/6	ntpl
3/18/1814	Mrs. Thomas Tidbau Dp 10 plates 9 Ditto	[illegible] [illegible]	1/7/6 9/~
4/11/1814	Col. [illegible] Dp 2 doz. 2 pt. tumblers	6/~	ntpl
4/11/1814	<ul> <li>W. Baker Dp son</li> <li>20 doz. 2 pt. tumblers</li> <li>2 doz 1 do. do.</li> <li>2 doz qt. do. do.</li> <li>1 pitcher</li> </ul>	\$1.00 \$2.00 \$3.00	\$20.00 \$4.00 \$6.00 \$3.25
4/11/1814	Mrs. Robas White Dp 2 Sallery glasses	9/~	18/~
4/14/1814	Mrs. Peter Lauck Dp 1 Sallery Glass	9/~	ntpl
4/14/1814	John van Niesen Dp 1 Cream jug		1/6
4/14/1814	Thomas Roberts Dp self 3 plates att	18/~ Doz.	4/6
4/28/1814	Edmund Pealton Dp son 2 Doz. of tumblers	10/6	1/1/0
7/18/1814	Lewis Hoff Dp Lady 1 pitcher	7/6	ntpl
7/18/1814	M. Sheck Dp self 1 Pitcher	7/6	ntpl
9/24/1814	Joshua & B. Aydelott Dp 1 Glass pitcher	7/6	ntpl
10/1/1814	Robert White Dp Lady 2 Doz. glass [illegible]	15/	7/6

10/18/1814	John Cunningham Dp Lady 1 Sett knives & forks 2 doz. Spoons	16/6 13/6	16/6 6/9
10/24/1814	Nicholas Fitzsimmons Dp 2 Sets Cups & Saucers 1 Ditto Ditto	\$3.00 \$3.50	1/16/0 1/1/~
10/31/1814	Peter Lanet Dp 2 Setts Knives & Forks	15/	1/10/~
11/2/1814	Joseph C. Baldwin Dp 2 Setts Cups & Saucers	\$3.00	1/16/~
1/4/1815	Jonathan Hassy Dp self 1 Bowl	2/3	ntpl
3/6/1815	John Hasfelt Dp Boy 2 Doz. wine glasses	10/6	5/3
4/28/1815	Edmund Pendleton Dp 1 Doz. Tumblers 1 qt. Tumbler	10/6 2/3	ntpl ntpl
5/15/1815	John Haup Dp 1 pitcher	9/	ntpl
5/29/1815	Jacob Cooper Dp Morgan 4 tumblers	3/6	ntpl

[End of pertinent entries in period of August 20, 1813-July 11, 1815.]

## E. Hillsborough, Loudoun County, Virginia Store Operated by Samuel Clendening, 1814-1816.

*Source*: Hillsborough, Loudoun County, Virginia Store Operated by Samuel Clendening; *Daybook*, 1814-1816; Manuscript Collection, Accession No. Mss. 5:3 C5937:1, Virginia Historical Society, Richmond, Virginia.

This *Daybook* was used by store clerks to record the daily sales transactions of a general store that was located in Hillsborough, Loudoun County, Virginia, and operated by Samuel Clendening (also spelled "Clendining" and "Clendenning"). This book is organized in the manner of a typical daybook. This accounting record contains approximately 308 pages of sales entries, with an average of 18 sales transactions recorded on each page, for a total of approximately 5,544 total sales transactions.

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Relevant sales transactions involving housewares during that time period are itemized below in a manner similar to the way the store clerks recorded them in the *Daybook*. The sales of housewares listed below total to just 185 sales transactions out of that total of approximately 5,544, or approximately three percent of the total sales transactions in the daybook. The pricing information is listed primarily in pounds, shilling and pence.

This store was located at the southern end of the Loudoun Valley, in the area in which the Demory family resided. A number of the customers listed in this book were neighbors of the Demorys. However, there is no mention of the Demory name in this 1814-1816 *Daybook*. A fragmentary and deteriorated *Ledger* book covering customer accounts for this store in the years 1817-1819 lists a "William Demory" as having paid "3 <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>" pence in cash for an amount due on May 21, 1819. A second *Ledger* book, covering the years 1801-1806 contained no references to the name of Demory.

<u>Date</u> 4/8/1814	<u>Customer</u> Herrod Osburn Dp Anthony		
	<u>Items Purchased</u> 1 brown pot 1 Ditto 1 Ditto 1 Dish	2/~ /10 /6 1/1	<u>Prices</u> ntpl ntpl ntpl ntpl
4/12/1814	William Hugh Dp his wife 4 small Dishes	/4 2	ntpl
4/25/1814	Samuel Freed Dp self 1 Chamber pott	1/11	ntpl
5/7/1814	Nager White Dp self 1 Green pott	2/3	ntpl
5/11/1814	Thomas Steven Jr. Dp self 2 milk pots	1/~	ntpl
5/18/1814	William Sacson Jr. Dp self 1 jug	/9	ntpl
5/18/1814	William Parker Jr. Dp self 1 Gallon pitcher	1/1	ntpl
5/18/1814	Thomas Osburn Dp self 2 Larg. potts 1 Ditto	2/~ /9	ntpl ntpl

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5/21/1814	Morris Osburn Dp Son 3 milk potts	/9	ntpl
5/24/1814	Samuel Clendining Sen. Dp se 1 member mug	elf 1/10	ntpl
5/24/1814	Daniel Deakins Dp self 1 Chamber Pott	1/10	ntpl
5/25/1814	Hew Thompson Dp his wife 1 milk pott	/9	ntpl
5/27/1814	Thomas Stevens Dp Roberts b 1 milk pott 1 milk pott	ooy 1/~ /9	ntpl ntpl
5/27/1814	Nathan Neer Jr. Dp self 2 milk potts	/9	ntpl
5/28/1814	Thomas Stevens Dp Eniz [ille 1 set of nives an forks 2 larg potts 1 Gallon jug	gible] 15/6 2/3 1/6	ntpl ntpl ntpl
5/28/1814	Enes Cooper Dp boy 1 pitcher	1/~	ntpl
5/29/1814	Hessikiah Showe Dp his wife 3 milk potts 4 Little Dishes	/10 /4	ntpl ntpl
5/30/1814	Craven Osburn Dp N. Jones 6 Milk potts 6 pye Dishes	/9 /4 2	ntpl ntpl
5/31/1814	Thomas Osburn Dp wife 1 Cfey pott 3/~ worth of Dishes	4/6 3/~	ntpl ntpl
5/31/1814	John White Dp Daughter 3 potts 2 boles 3 Boles	/9 /4 2 /4 2	ntpl ntpl ntpl
6/11/1814	Elizabeth Wells Dp self 1 gallon jug	1/6	ntpl
6/14/1814	Thomas Russel Dp wife		

	1 Dish	/10 2	494 ntpl
6/15/1814	Thomas Lefley Dp self 4 Larg milk potts 2 Ditto small	/9 /4 3	ntpl ntpl
6/15/1814	Samuel Purcel Dp 2 Dish	1/~	ntpl
6/26/1814	Jones Potts Dp 4 pye Dishes	/4 2	ntpl
6/28/1814	Edward Sanders Dp self 1 Set Cups an Sausers	4/~	ntpl
6/28/1814	Charles Brooks Dp self 1 tumbler	1/4	ntpl
6/28/1814	Thomas Gragg Dp girl 1 Dish	/9	ntpl
6/29/1814	Joshua Osburn Dp self Six pin tumblers 1 coffey pott	1/6 6/~	ntpl ntpl
6/30/1814	John Brown Dp self 3 Green jugs	/9	ntpl
7/1/1814	Craven Osburn Dp self 2 tin tumblers	1/4	ntpl
7/4/1814	Joshua Osburn Dp [illegible] 6 Milk Potts	/9	ntpl
7/7/1814	Jones Potts Dp self 1 Coffe pott	6/~	ntpl
7/7/1814	Craven Osburn Dp self 2 Doz spoons	7/6	ntpl
7/16/1814	Jack Sample Dp self 1 Dish	/10 2	ntpl
7/21/1814	Hanner Love Dp [illegible] 1 Cream Jug	/9	ntpl
7/27/1814	Elizabeth Burnhous Dp 1 Coffee pott	3/6	ntpl

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10/6/1814	Edwards Dp black girl 1 quart jug	/9	ntpl
10/6/1814	Thomas Stevens Dp wife 1 pot 1 porrenger	/4 2 /4 2	ntpl ntpl
10/25/1814	Samuel Clendining Sen. Dp 2 potts	/6	ntpl
12/11/1814	John Campbell Dp wife 1 tumbler	1/9	ntpl
12/11/1814	John Clap Dp self 2 glasses	1/9	ntpl
12/21/1814	Nathan Neer Dp wife 1 tumbler	1/6	ntpl
12/29/1814	Landon Osburn Dp self 1 set knives and forks	15/~	ntpl
12/31/1814	Annis Harvey Dp self 1 tumbler	1/9	ntpl
2/28/1815	Thomas Hough Dp self 4 potts	/9	ntpl
3/2/1815	Youreah Hunt Dp self 1 tumbler	1/6	ntpl
4/14/1815	Henry Freed Dp self 2 wine glasses 1 Chamber pott	3/~ 1/6	ntpl ntpl
4/14/1815	William Parker Dp [illegible] 1 jug	1/~	ntpl
4/17/1815	Dr. S. Fogason Jr. Dp self 1 jug	1/~	ntpl
4/20/1815	Mrs. Underwood Dp self 1 tumbler	1/6	
5/10/1815	Mrs. Marten Dp self 1 Cream pott 1 milk pott 1 small do.	2/~ 1/~ /6	ntpl ntpl ntpl

5/25/1815	Willbur Evens Dp self 1 jug	1/1 2		ntpl
5/25/1815	Joshua Marshall Dp self 2 Dishes	/4 3		ntpl
5/29/1815	Edward Sanders Dp Daughter 2 Dishes	/6		ntpl
6/2/1815	John White Dp boy 1 pitcher	1/3		ntpl
6/16/1815	William SacksonDp self2 Dozen spoons7/111 milk pott	10/3	ntpl	ntpl
6/16/1815	Joseph Grubb Jr. Dp self 1 pott	10/2		ntpl
6/16/1815	Thomas Hough Dp wife 4 milk potts 1 pitcher			npl npl
6/16/1815	Jonis Potts Dp mother 3 milk potts	9/~		ntpl
6/16/1815	Ames Hague Dp self 2 milk potts	10/2		ntpl
6/25/1815	Jaeop Shumaugle Dp wife 1 set cups & sasers	3/9		ntpl
6/25/1815	William Evens Dp self 1 cream jug	/9		ntpl
6/27/1815	Joseph Goodlo Dp wife 1 set of spoons Larg	7/~		ntpl
6/28/1815	Joseph Grubb Dp self 1 Mug	1/9		ntpl
6/29/1815	Cornelius Hanmer Dp self 2 milk potts 2 do.	9/~ 10/4		ntpl ntpl
6/29/1815	John White Dp wife 3 milk potts	10/1		ntpl

7/3/1815	Samuel Clendining Sen. Dp D 2 Doz. plates 3 nives & forks	Daughter 4/3 7/6	ntpl ntpl
7/3/1815	Mrs. Holliwood Dp self 2 Doz. plates	3/3	ntpl
7/4/1815	James Thompson Dp wife 6 milk potts	/9	ntpl
7/5/1815	Nathan Neer Dp boy 2 Dishes 2 Ditto	/9 /7 3	ntpl ntpl
7/5/1815	William Clendining Dp wife 3 Dishes	/7 2	ntpl
7/5/1815	Jessey Evens Dp wife 3 white plates	4/3	ntpl
7/6/1815	Joseph Pursel Dp self 2 Doz plates	5/~	ntpl
7/6/1815	Saml Love Dp self 2 Doz tea spoons	2/4	ntpl
7/8/1815	Sarah Nelson Dp Nicoles Gara 1 set of tea cups & sausers	rot 3/9	ntpl
7/8/1815	William Clendining Dp self 4 Mugs	/9	ntpl
7/10/1815	Moses McCutcheon Dp wife 2 Doz plates 2 Doz. tea spoons	4/3 2/6	ntpl ntpl
7/10/1815	Joseph Purcel Dp son 1 set of cups & sausors 2 boles	2/~ 1/9	ntpl ntpl
7/20/1815	Edward Sanders Dp daughter 3 potts 1 Ditto	/9 1/~	ntpl ntpl
7/22/1815	James Potts Dp girl 2 milk potts 1 Ditto	1/~ /9	ntpl ntpl

7/27/1815	William Roberds Dp mother in 2 small dishes	n law /4 3	ntpl
7/27/1815	Herrod & Heelor Osburn Dp o 4 milk potts 2 Ditto 3 Dishes 3 Ditto	order 1/~ /9 /7 2 /4 2	ntpl ntpl ntpl ntpl
8/1/1815	John Hough Dp girl 4 milk potts 1 pitcher	1/~ 1/3	ntpl ntpl
8/8/1815	John Hough Dp 2 [doz] plates	5/~	ntpl
8/13/1815	John White Dp daughter 6 milk potts	/9	ntpl
8/21/1815	John White Dp daughter 1 mug 1 milk pott	1/3 1/~	ntpl ntpl
8/24/1815	Nathan Neer Dp wife 1 tea pot	3/9	ntpl
8/29/1815	Sarah Phillips Dp self 1 mug	2/9	ntpl
8/29/1815	William Hough Dp wife 1 pitcher	/9	ntpl
8/30/1815	John White Dp son 1 pitcher	1/3	ntpl
9/10/1815	Hesekiah Shaw Dp wife 1 set of knives & forks	9/6	ntpl
9/14/1815	Mrs. Coplen Dp James 4 Dishes		npl
9/25/1815	Herrod & H. Osburn Dp self 1 set knives an forks	9/~	ntpl
9/25/1815	Henry Counce Dp wife 2 Dishes	/10	ntpl

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10/2/1815	Cornelius Parmen Dp wife Sugar bole	1/~	ntpl
10/20/1815	Isaac Eblen Dp wife 2 Dishes	/7 2	ntpl
10/21/1815	Harry Orom Dp self 1 set of knives & forks	9/6	ntpl
10/24/1815	Thomas Leslie Dp self 6 boles 2 milk potts	/4 2 /9	ntpl ntpl
11/27/1815	Hanner Wilson Dp daughter 1 tea kettle Cream jug	2/6 /9	ntpl ntpl
12/1/1815	George Razor Dp self 1 Dishes	2/~	ntpl
12/3/1815	George Razor Dp self 1 set knives & forks	10/10 3	ntpl
12/6/1815	Mr. Fallon Dp wife 1 Chamber Pott	1/6	ntpl
12/8/1815	Mahlon Morris Dp self 1 pitcher	4/6	ntpl
12/15/1815	Jessee Eavens Dp wife 1 Cream jug	/9	ntpl
12/17/1815	Frances Hokens Dp self 1 Tea potts 1 Chamber pott 2 set of cups & sausers	2/6 1/6 3/6	ntpl ntpl ntpl
12/23/1815	George Gudeon Dp self 2 doz. plates	3/9	ntpl
12/29/1815	John Brown Dp self 1 set of Knives & forkes	9/10	ntpl
1/1/1816	Hanner Love Dp 3 Plates 3 Ditto	2/9 2/9	ntpl ntpl
1/10/1816	John Davis Dp self		

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	2 Glases	/10 2	ntpl
1/17/1816	Jonis Potts Dp self		
	1 set of cups	3/6	ntpl
	1 Mug	/9	ntpl
1/22/1816	Sarah Philips Dp self		_
	3 Boles	2/9	ntpl
	4 milk pott	/54	ntpl
1/26/1816	Miss Palson Dp self		
	2 Doz. plates	3/9	ntpl
	2 Doz. ditto	2/9	ntpl
	1 set Cups	3/6	ntpl
	3 Larg boles	1/3	ntpl
	3 Ditto	1/~	ntpl
	6 white Ditto	/4 3	ntpl
	1 pitcher	2/6	ntpl
	1 Cream	/7	ntpl
	1 Set knives fork	9/10 2	ntpl
	1 tea pot	2/6	<u>ntpl</u>
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2/9/1816	David Palmer Dp mother		. 1
	2 potts	/9	ntpl
	1 Bole	/9	ntpl
2/21/1816	Margaret McIlhaney Dp girl		
	6 Milk potts	/9	ntpl
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3/23/1816	Henry Brookbank Dp self		
	2 Doz. K & forks	9/10 2	ntpl
4/1/1816	[illes: hla] Stuchlar, Dr. calf		
4/1/1810	[illegible] Streblen Dp self	7/6	ntn1
	1 set table spoons	7/6	ntpl ntpl
	1 set tea [illegible]	2/6	ntpl
4/2/1816	Thos. Hall Dp wife		
	1 set tea C & S	3/6	ntpl
4/8/1816	Sarah Philips Dp self		
4/0/1010		/9	ntnl
	2 Milk potts	19	ntpl
4/13/1816	Nancy Caplan Dp self		
	3 glasses	/10 2	ntpl
	1 Cream jug	/9	ntpl
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4/13/1816	Charles Crooks Dp		
	1 Dishes	/7 3	ntpl
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4/18/1816	William Jackson Dp self 2 Doz. tea spoons	2/6	ntpl
4/20/1816	Mrs. Marten Dp self 1 tea pott	2/6	ntpl
4/26/1816	William Jackson Dp self 1 Gallon jug	1/6	ntpl
4/27/1816	Jonis Potts Dp self 3 milk potts 3 knives an forks	1/~ 9/10	ntpl ntpl
4/30/1816	William Jackson Dp 1 Larg Pott	2/6	ntpl
4/30/1816	Mrs. Humphrey Dp self 1 Milk pott	1/~	ntpl
5/6/1816	James Shanlen Dp self 1 Milk potts 2 pint Boles	/9 1/~	ntpl ntpl
5/6/1816	Joshua Marshall Dp self 1 Tea potts	2/6	ntpl
5/8/1816	Mrs. Hunt of John In 3 potts 1 Ditto 1 Ditto	/9 1/~ 2/3	ntpl ntpl ntpl
5/8/1816	Hanner Parker Dp 1 Cream pott	2/3	ntpl

[End of pertinent entries in period of 1814-1816.]

### F. Fauquier County, Virginia Store Operated by James Pickett, 1814-1832.

*Source*: Fauquier County, Virginia Store Operated by James Pickett; *Account Book*, 1814-1832; Manuscript Collection, Accession No. Mss. 5:3 P5865:1, Virginia Historical Society, Richmond, Virginia.

This *Account Book* was used to record the daily sales transactions of a general store that was located in Fauquier County, Virginia, and operated by merchant James Sanford Pickett. Relevant portions of this book are organized in the manner of a

daybook. This accounting record, which covers sales in the period of 1814 through 1832, contains approximately 58 pages of sales entries, with an average of 72 sales transactions recorded on each page, for a total of approximately 4,176 total sales transactions.

Although this merchandise operation sold a broad array of groceries, hardware, agricultural implements, spirits, fabrics, clothing and other products, and provided an array of services, including shoe making, hauling and land surveying, it recorded only one sales transaction involving housewares during this time period: on October 17, 1818, George Collis purchased a "pot, oven, Keg and washtub" for \$3.87 2.

## G. Washington County, Maryland Store Operated by William Dickey, 1817-1819.

*Source*: Washington County, Maryland Store Operated by William Dickey; *Daybook*, 1817-1819; Archive Collections Ledger 8, Washington County Historical Society, Hagerstown, Maryland.

This *Daybook* was used by store clerks to record the daily sales transactions of a general store that was operated by William Dickey, and located somewhere in Washington County. This book is organized by customer name, in a manner similar to ledger books, but provides the detailed descriptions of each sale in a manner consistent with a daybook. This accounting record contains approximately 211 pages of sales entries, with an average of 28 sales transactions recorded on each page, for a total of 5,908 total sales transactions.

Relevant sales transactions involving housewares during that time period are itemized below in a manner similar to the way the store clerks recorded them in the *Daybook*. The sales of housewares listed below total to just 49 sales transactions out of that total of approximately 5,908, or approximately one percent of the total sales transactions in the daybook. The pricing information listed includes mixed references to pounds, shilling and pence, and to dollars and cents.

<u>Date</u> 3/18/1817	<u>Customer</u> Mrs. Haun D	
	<u>Items Purchased</u> 1 frying pan	<u>Prices</u> \$1.00
3/25/1817	Matthew Van Lear D Herrings & [illegible] frying pan	7.90
5/19/1817	Dr. Williams D 2 Ewers & 2 Basons 3	1.87

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6/4/1817	Mrs. Van Lear D 2 Bowls	10	.87
6/4/1817	Col. Carr D Cups & Saucers	9	1.12
7/26/1817	Dr. Williams D Dishes & Plates	73	4.50

8/3/1817	William H. Van Lear D Wine glasses decanter & whiskey		.80 .62 2
8/12/1817	William H. Van Lear D 1 Glass Jar bottle, picther & tumblers crocks, bowls 1 crock		.43 1.56 1.22 .10
10/29/1817	William H. Van Lear D 1 Sett Tea Ware		28.00
11/14/1817	W. H. Van Lear D Pitcher		.40
11/23/1817	Peter Stefley D 1 Sett Knives & forks		1.00
1/1/1818	P. Sprecker D 1 Glass		.12
1/15/1818	William H. Van Lear D 1 Dish		.50
2/22/1818	Dr. Williams D 1 Stone Jar	92	.35
5/25/1818	George Steah D 1 pitcher		.95
6/7/1818	Isaac Long, Jr. D Plates, Bowls		1.27
6/15/1818	James Ginn D 1 Crock		.06 2
6/17/1818	John Malone D 2 Bottles, 1 pint whiskey		.43 2
6/24/1818	James Ginn D 1 Tumbler		.12 2
7/8/1818	James Ginn D Cups & Saucers		.30
7/11/1818	Dr. Michael A. Finley D		

	6 Tumblers	505 .37 2
9/19/1818	Michael A. Finley D 1 Tumbler	.31
9/27/1818	Dr. W. B. Williams D 1 Oven lid 1 Dutch Oven	1.26 1.96
10/5/1818	Phillip Steffey D 1 Crock with lid Chamber pot	.51 .75
10/7/1818	Michael A. Finley D 1 Stone Jar	.37 2
10/22/1818	William H. Van Lear D 1 Chamber pot	.19
11/2/1818	John Baker 1 Sett Ladles for Pete Becker	2.00
11/23/1818	James Shoaf D Decanter and 1 pint	.82
12/5/1818	Thomas Laffe D 1 Jug	.18 2
1/23/1819	Michael A. Finley 4 Crocks	.25
1/26/1819	Thomas Kennedy D 2 tin pans	.50
3/12/1819	John Copes D 1 Sett knives & forks 1 Pitcher	2.00 .25
3/18/1819	Thomas Laffe D 1 Tea pot	.25
3/31/1819	E. G. Williams D 7.14 Pewter	2.96
5/9/1819	Michael Kreps D crocks	1.00

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6/4/1819	Michael Kreps D 1 Crock	.37
6/17/1819	Richard A. Finley D 1 Chamber pot	.50
6/19/1819	E. G. Williams D 18 Dishes	2.00
7/25/1819	Matthew Van Lear D 1 Chamber pot	.25
8/14/1819	M. H. Lackett D 1 Pitcher	.75
8/17/1819	Jacob Strayer D 1 Bowl & Tumbler	.25
10/9/1819	William Malone D crocks and candle wich	1.60

[End of pertinent entries in this Daybook, pp. 1-211, ending in 1819.]

## H. Leesburg, Loudoun County, Virginia Store Operated by an Unidentified Merchant, 1830-1831.

*Source*: Leesburg, Loudoun County, Virginia Store Operated by an Unidentified Merchant; *Daybook*, 1830-1831; Manuscript Collection, Accession No. Mss. 7505-a, Special Collections Department, Alderman Library, University of Virginia, Charlottesville, Virginia.

This *Daybook* was used by store clerks to record the daily sales transactions of a general store that was located in Leesburg, Loudoun County, Virginia, and operated by an unidentified merchant. This book is organized in the manner of a typical daybook, and covers the period of April 4, 1830 through November 29, 1831. This accounting record contains approximately 324 pages of sales entries, with an average of 24 sales transactions recorded on each page, for a total of approximately 7,776 sales transactions.

Relevant sales transactions involving housewares during that time period are itemized below in a manner similar to the way the store clerks recorded them in the *Daybook*. The sales of housewares listed below total to just 96 sales transactions out of that total of approximately 7,776, or approximately one percent of the total sales transactions in the daybook. The pricing information is listed with a combination of references in pounds, shillings and pence and references in dollars and cents.

<u>Date</u>	<u>Customer</u>	
4/20/1830	Mrs. Wilson	Dp

	<u>Items Purchased</u> 1 doz. Cup Plates		<u>Prices</u> 3/9
4/26/1830	Mrs. Shift Dp 1 Sett spoons 1 do. 1 Sett Cups & S 1 Sett knives & forks 1 doz. Plates 2 dishes 1 Tea pot 1 Pitcher		\$.21 .42 .17 4/~ .56 3 /9 1/9 .20
5/1/1830	Sally Ellezey Dp 1 Doz. L. Plates 1 Pr. Pitchers 1 smale do. 1 Mug 2 Butter Plates 1 dish		9/~ 10/~ 2/~ 1/~ 9/~ 1/8
5/4/1830	Catharine Harrison Dp 2 dishes	/54	ntpl
5/4/1830	B. Williams Dp 1 Sett Spoons		3/4
5/5/1830	Col. Ellezey Dp 1 Sup. dish 2 China do.	.90	2/~ ntpl
5/27/1830	Saml Carr Dp 1 Set Spoons		2/6
6/7/1830	B. Thompson Dp 1 Sett of Spoons 1 do.		2/11 2/11
6/12/1830	Catharine Harrison Dp 1 2 Doz. Dinner Plates 1 do. Breakfast do. 1 do. Tumblers	4/~ 1.25 16/~	2.25 1.25 2.67
6/18/1830	Sean Hale Dp 2 crocks	1/6	.50
6/18/1830	Ben Thompson Dp		

	1 Tea Pot 1 do. 1 Tumbler	.06	508 .29 .25 ntpl
6/26/1830	Catharine Harrison Dp 2 Dishes	.94	1.88
7/10/1830	Robt Coe Dp 1 Set Knives & Forks		<b>2.57</b> 2
8/5/1830	Alfred Spates Dp 1 pr forks	1/~	.17
8/11/1830	Terry Cullosien Dp 1 Sett cups & saucers 1 Sett Plates		.17 .37
8/25/1830	Simon Smale Dp 1 Tea Pot		.15
9/1/1830	Eleanor Peers Dp 2 Pitchers	3/9	1.25
9/1/1830	Mrs. Cath. Harrison Dp 2 crocks		.50
9/8/1830	William Shuft Dp 1 Pitcher 1 do.		.31 .20
10/9/1830	William Shrift Dp 1 Small mug		<b>.06</b> 3
10/11/1830	Robt Gover Dp 1 Bowl 2 Do. 1 Sugar Dish	.06	.15 .12 .20
10/16/1830	Arthur Herret Dp 1 Sett knives & forks	25/	ntpl
10/30/1830	Gustavus Elgin Dp 1 set Knives & Forks		1.37 2
11/10/1830	Arthur Herrett Dp 1 Sett knives & forks	25/	ntpl
3/15/1831	Wm. D. Drish Dp		

	4 Chamber Pots	1/9	
			1.17
3/16/1831	Col. Ellezey Dp		
	1 Sett Knives	15/	ntpl
3/23/1831	Mr. C. Cook Dp		
	2 Mugs	6/1	ntpl
	1 dozen plates	/6 ea.	ntpl
	1 tea pot	.25	ntpl
	2 dozen green edge plates	4/1	ntpl
5/9/1831	Catherine Camson Dp		
	Plates, Dishes etc.		1.30
5/12/1831	Michael Morallee Dp		
	2 10/12 Doz. Green & Blue	Edge Plates	1.56
	10/12 do. do. do.		.37 2
	9/12 do. do. do.		.30
	25/12 C. C. do. Plates		1.21
	24/12 do. do. do.		.93
	6/12 do. Liverpool Plates		.56
	16/12 do. do.		1.50
	1 Basen		.20 .84
	1 Large Liverpool Dish 5 Liverpool Dishes		.84 .90
	3 do. do.		.90
	3 Green Edge do.	.50	1.50
	2 do. do.	.33	.66 3
	2 do. do.	.20	.40
	4 White do.	.20	.50
	3 do. do.		.50
	6/12 Doz. Stone Jugs	.50	.25
	8/12 do. Bottles	5/~	.56
	5 Setts cups & saucers	.15	.75
	3/12 dz. Tumblers	.50	.12
	13/12 do. do.	.70	.87 2
	4/12 do. Blue Pitchers	3.25	1.08 a
	3/12 do. do.		.50
	2/12 do. do.	4.00	.67
	2/12 do. do.		.33
	3/12 Common do.	2.00	.50
	8/12 Common Bowls	1.50	1.00
	10/12 do. do.	5/~	.69 2
	1 [illegible] Dish		.50
	1 Blk Tea Pot	.17	ntpl
	3 do. do.		.50

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	3 Large Liverpool [illegible]		3/9
	6 Sugar Bowls	.37 2	ntpl
	1 coarse Tea Pot	1/11	ntpl
	2 Sett China	5/~	ntpl
	2 Ewer & Basins & 2 Pitcher		2.56
	4 Large Liverpool Bowls	.09	ntpl
	4 do. do.	.10	ntpl
	4 Sugar Dishes	.09	ntpl
	2 Cups Plates	6/4	ntpl
	10 Cream Jugs	.07	ntpl
	4 Pickle & 6 Sauce Bowls	1/~	ntpl
10/29/1831	B. W. Thomson Dp		
	3 crocks		.21

[End of pertinent entries in period of 1830-1831.]

# I. Middleburg, Loudoun County, Virginia Store Operated by John M. McVeigh, 1830-1831.

*Source*: Middleburg, Loudoun County, Virginia Store Operated by John M. McVeigh; *Daybook*, 1830-1831; Manuscript Collection, Accession No. Mss. 4461, Special Collections Department, Alderman Library, University of Virginia, Charlottesville, Virginia.

This *Daybook* was used by store clerks to record the daily sales transactions of a general store that was located in Middleburg, Loudoun County, Virginia, and operated by John M. McVeigh. This book is organized in the manner of a typical daybook, and covers the period of September 23, 1830 through January 27, 1831. This accounting record contains approximately 360 pages of sales entries, with an average of 24 sales transactions recorded on each page, for a total of approximately 8,640 sales transactions.

Relevant sales transactions involving housewares during that time period are itemized below in a manner similar to the way the store clerks recorded them in the *Daybook*. The sales of housewares listed below total to just 169 sales transactions out of that total of approximately 8,640, or approximately two percent of the total sales transactions in the daybook. The pricing information is listed with references in dollars and cents.

<u>Date</u>	<u>Customer</u>	
9/25/1830	Dangerfield Fauntleroy Dp Boy	
	<u>Items Purchased</u>	<u>Prices</u>
	2 Tea Pots to N. Beveridge .25	ntpl
9/27/1830	Capt. Jacob Sumners Dp self	

			511
	1 Set Dining Plates		.37
	1 do. Bred do.		2 .30
	1 Bowl		.10
	3 do.	.08	ntpl
	1 Silver Mug	100	.12
0/20/1020	Lesse MeWeish De		
9/28/1830	Jesse McVeigh Dp Blk Tea Pott		.30
	DIK TEA FOU		.50
10/1/1830	Francis T. Hale Dp self and A	Aaron	
	2 Chamber Pots		.25
10/7/1830	William Pattin Dp Daughter		
	1 Coffee Pot		.45
10/7/1830	Morris Davis Dp wife		
10, 1, 1050	1 Small tumbler		.06 3
10/7/1830	Danl Shanks Dp self		
	1 2 Doz. Blue E. Dining Plate	S	.75
	1 do. do. Soup Plates		.75
	1 Imitation China Ewer & Bas	Sin	1.25
	1 do. do. Tea pot		.87 2 .62 3
	1 do. do. Sugar Bowl 1 do. do. Cream Cup		.02 3
	2 Mould Qt. Decanters		.34 .42
	2 [illegible] Green Edge Dish	es 50	ntpl
	2 [illegible] B. E. Dishes	.31 2	ntpl
			nipi
10/11/1830	Reuben Murray Dp wife's or	der	
	1 B. E. Dish		.42
	1 G. E. Dish	1.5	.33
	2  do. do.	.15	ntpl
	2 [illegible] White Dishes 2 Bowls	.15 .08	ntpl
	2 BOWIS	.08	ntpl
10/11/1830	Edwd Carter Dp daughter		
	2 Doz. Plates (B.E.)		.30
10/12/1830	James H. McVeigh Dp self		
	1 Sett Plates [illegible]		8.00
	2 Blk Tea Pots	.26	ntpl
	1 Bowl & Pitcher		.94
	2 Doz. Green E. D. Plates		.35
	2 Sugar G.E. Dishes	.87 2	ntpl
	2 do. do. Dishes	.31	ntpl
	2 do. do. Dishes	.17	ntpl

			512
	<ul> <li>2 Liverpool Dishes</li> <li>2 Setts China Cups &amp; Saucers</li> <li>1 China Sugar Bowl</li> <li>1 do. [illegible] Bowl</li> <li>1 do. Cream Cup</li> </ul>	.42 1.00	ntpl ntpl .75 .37 .37
	5 Glass Tumblers 1 do. Tumbler	.07	ntpl .05
	2 Glass Sweet Meat Dishes 2 Glass Salts	.16 .21	ntpl ntpl
	<ol> <li>Doz. L. Tea Plates</li> <li>do. Cup Plates</li> <li>Soup Bowl</li> <li>Tin Coffee Pot</li> </ol>	.75	1.08 ntpl .42 .37 2
	<ol> <li>1 Tin Tea Canister</li> <li>1 Tin Wash Pan</li> <li>1 do. Dipper</li> <li>1 do. Bucket</li> <li>3 Tin Cups</li> <li>1 Britannia Coffee Pot</li> </ol>	.04	.21 .29 .10 .62 2 ntpl 2.50
10/12/1830	John Harris Dp self 1 Sett spoons		.50
10/12/1830	Doct. Joseph Wheelwright Dp 1 Chamber Pot	girl	.17
10/12/1830	William Luckitt Dp self & wife 1 Doz. Liverpool Dining Plates 2 Small Tumblers 2 do. Tumblers		1.50 ntpl ntpl
10/19/1830	Jno. Murray Dp self & wife 1 Glass Sugar Bowl 8/12 Doz. Glass Cup Plates	.62	.79 ntpl
10/21/1830	James S. Green Dp 1 Glass Cup Plates	.06 2	ntpl
10/23/1830	Mrs. Elizabeth Wilson Dp self 1 Sett China Cups Saucer 1 [China] Cream Cup 1 Liverpool Butter Plate 1 Tea Canister 1 Large Tin Bucket 1 Blk Tea Pot		1.00 .37 2 .10 .12 2 .67 .25
10/26/1830	James Plastin Dp wife		

			513
	2 Doz. L. P. D. Plates		.75
	2 do. L. P. B. Plates		.62 2
	2 do. L. P. Tea Plates		.48
	2 Glass Sweet Meat Plates	.25	ntpl
	1 Sett China Tea Ware	.20	1.00
			1100
10/27/1830	Benj. Harrison Dp wife		
	1 Blk Tea Pot		.29
	1 Small Pitcher		.12 2
10/27/1830	Mrs. Pamela Cawell Dp self		
10/27/1050	2 Plates (Liver'l)	.10	ntpl
	1 Doz. Glass Cup Plates		.50
	-		
10/28/1830	James H. McVeigh Dp self		
	1 Large Pitcher		.53
	1 do. Pitcher		.37 2
	1 Coffee Mill		.58
	3 Earthen pans	.06 3	ntpl
10/30/1830	Cyrus Gramans Dp self		
	1 Small Decanter		.18 :
11/2/1830	William F. Luckitt Dp self &	wife	
	1 White Pitcher		.25
	5 Doz. Soup Plates	.31 2	ntpl
	2 Dishes	.20	ntpl
11/4/1830	Isaac Lake Dp self & wife		
	2 Doz. Cut Glass Tumblers		1.50
	1 Pitcher		.37 2
	2 Doz. Green E. B. Plates		.30
	2 do. Blue E. B. Plates		.38
	2 Liverpool Plates	.10	ntpl
	1 Dish	.30	ntpl
	1 Sett Liverpool Tea Ware		.75
	1 Cream Cup		.25
	2 Salts	.25	ntpl
	1 Tin Collender		.56
11/1/1020	Mrs. Isona Laka Drash		
11/4/1830	Mrs. Isaac Lake Dp self		1 1 2 0
	1 p. Stake Dishes 1 Sett Plates Cantin		1.12 2 5.50
	1 Glass Sugar Bowl		5.50 1.00
	i Olass Sugai DOwl		1.00
11/9/1830	Mrs. Eliza J. M. Withsen Dp s	elf	
	1 Tin Cullender		.56
	1 Sett L. Tea Ware		.62 2

	1 carving knife & fork	
		1.75
11/10/1830	Adam Allen Dp self 1 Glass Tumbler	.06 3
11/10/1830	Marshall Ashley Dp self 1 Liverpool Pitcher	.59
11/15/1830	Wm. Livan Dp Chamber pot	.23
11/19/1830	John Harris Dp self 1 Black Tea Pot	.30 2
11/23/1830	William S. Mooney Dp order 1 Sett Liverpool Cups, Saucers 1 Chamber Pot	1.27 .25
11/24/1830	Jesse McVeigh Dp self 1 Sett Knives & Forks	2.37 2
12/3/1830	William Rawlings Dp self 1 Chamber Pot	.25
12/16/1830	Howard Espinds Dp Stone Jar	.37 2
12/17/1830	Col. Geo. Lavin Dp 1 Doz. Liverp. Breakfast Plates 1 Doz. Liverp. D. Plates	1.40 1.52
12/17/1830	John Dendy Dp self 1 Stone Milk Pan	.25
12/17/1830	Wm. H. Crider Dp self 1 Tumbler	.11 3
12/20/1830	James McVeigh Dp self 1 Sett Knives & Forks 1 Carving Knife, Fork	1.50 1.75
12/20/1830	Mrs. Patly Dp self 3 Stone Milk pans	.25
12/20/1830	[illegible] Pullen Dp self	

	1 White Chamberpot		515 .25
12/20/1830	Mrs. Col. Geo. Lavin Dp self 1 Doz. Liverp. D. Plates 2 do. do. Tea Plates 1 Sauce Turein		1.75 1.25 1.75
12/22/1830	James McVeigh Dp 1 China Pitcher		.39
12/24/1830	Aquilla Glasscock Dp self 2 Large Stone Jars 4 [illegible] Mugs		.87 2 .25
12/24/1830	Billy Thornton Dp 1 White Pitcher		.25
12/25/1830	Nelson Gibson Dp self 1 B. E. Dish 1 White Dish 1 Set B. E. Plates 1 White Pitcher 1 Cream Cup		.25 .25 .30 .25 .12
12/25/1830	Richard Anders Dp self 2 Glass Sweat Meat Dishes	.25	ntpl
1/10/1831	Saml Robinson Dp self 1 Coffee Pot		.30
1/21/1831	Thomas Johnson Dp self 2 Large Stone Pans 1 Large Tin Bucket	.37 2	ntpl .67
2/5/1831	[illegible name] Dp self 1 Set Tea Ware B 2 Small Bowls 1 Sugar Bowl	.05	.50 ntpl .40
2/11/1831	Lt. F. Luckitt Dp self 1 Set knives & forks		2.00
2/12/1831	Jesse McVeigh Dp self 1 Sugar Bowl		.25
2/12/1831	Jno. Murray Dp self		

### 2 Large Liverp. Dishes

			3.25
	1 Smaller do. do.		.62 2
	2 Smaller do. do.	.36	ntpl
	1 Doz. Han Tea Ware (China)		2.50
	2 Small [illegible] Plates	.09	ntpl
	1 set G. E. Plates	.25	ntpl
2/15/1831	Asa Campbell Dp self		
	2 Doz. Liverpool D. Plates		.62 2
	3 Small Liverpool Plates	.08	ntpl
2/15/1831	Col Coo Louin Dr wife		
2/13/1031	Col. Geo. Lavin Dp wife 2 Liverpool Dishes	.45	ntnl
	1 Small L. Plate	.45	ntpl .10
	I Sman L. I late		.10
2/18/1831	Reuben Murray Dp Son		
	2 Pitchers	.37 2	ntpl
	2 Sweat Meat Dishes	.37	ntpl
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2/26/1831	Samuel Simpson Dp wife		
	2 Soup Liverp Dishes		4.25
	2 Smaller do. do.		.83
	1 Sauce Tureen		1.50
	2 small Liverp D. Dishes		1.00
	1 Doz. Liverp Dining Plates		1.75
	1 do. do. Breakfast do.		1.50
	2 Liverp Butter Plates	.10	ntpl
	1 Set White Plates		.25
	1 Set Coffee China		1.25
	1 Set Tea China Ware		1.25
	1 China Bowl		.42
	1 Small Pitcher		.17
	1 Win Glass	.10	ntpl
	2 Glass Sweat Meats	.37 2	ntpl
	1 Small Tumbler	.06 3	ntpl
	1 Liverp. Mug		.12 2
	3 Tin Cups	.08	ntpl
	1 Tin Pan	.25	ntpl
	4 Tin [illegible] Pans	.06 3	ntpl
	4 Tin [illegible] Pans	.04	ntpl
3/1/1831	Spencer Ricter Dp self		
5/1/1051	1 Tin Cup		.11 2
	1 Im Cup		,11 2
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[End of pertinent entries in period of 1830-1831.]

#### J. Martinsburg, Berkeley County, Virginia Store Operated by Isaac Lauck & Company, 1831.

*Source*: Martinsburg, Berkeley County, Virginia Store Operated by Isaac Lauck & Company; *Daybook*, 1830-1832; Manuscript Collection, Faulkner Family Papers, Accession No. Mss. 1F2735aFA2, Virginia Historical Society, Richmond, Virginia.

This *Daybook* was used by store clerks to record the daily sales transactions of the "Lauck & Stephen" general store that was located in Martinsburg, Berkeley County, Virginia (later West Virginia), and operated by Isaac Lauck & Company. This book is organized in the manner of a typical daybook. This accounting record contains approximately 500 pages of sales entries. I reviewed a sample of 6 months of such sales

entries in detail (for April-June, 1831 and September-November, 1831), which were recorded on approximately 230 pages, with an average of 22 sales transactions recorded on each page, for a total of approximately 5,060 total sales transactions in those sample periods.

Relevant sales transactions involving housewares during that time period are itemized below in a manner similar to the way the store clerks recorded them in the *Daybook*. The sales of housewares listed below total to just 47 sales transactions out of that total of approximately 5,060, or approximately one percent of the total sales transactions in the daybook. The pricing information is listed in dollars and cents.

Given the clarity with which this daybook recorded prices for each sales transaction, I also calculated the total sales in dollar and cents (including all products sold) for three sample pages chosen at random within this six-month period. These three sample pages recorded total sales of \$31.92, \$89.48, and \$46.89, providing an average total sales per page of \$49.89. Multiplying that average of total sales per page by the total of 230 pages of sales entries for this six-month period results in total sales of approximately \$11,474.70 during this period under review. The itemized sales of housewares listed below total to just \$64.52 out of that total, or half of one percent of the total store sales in that sample time period.

If one were to convert these figures from 1831 to the same purchasing power in today's economy and monetary values, using the *Economic History Service* calculations of consumer price indexes and adjustments for inflation (McCusker 2001), such a conversion indicates that \$11,474.70 in 1831 equals \$233,699.48 today, and \$64.20 in 1831 equals \$1,314.05 today.

<u>Date</u>	<u>Customer</u>
4/2/1831	Michael Seibert Dp Lady

Items Purchased

<u>Prices</u>

1	Doz.	tumblers

	1 ditto Wine Glasses		\$1.50 1.25
4/2/1831	John Myers Dp Lady 1 Sett China Cups & Saucers		1.50
4/4/1831	John Myers/Mill Dp son 1 St Liverpool Plates		1.75
4/5/1831	James Brown Dp Robinson 2 Chamber Mugs	.37 2	.75
4/9/1831	H. Conrad Dp Sevt 1 Glass S. Bowl		.87 2
4/9/1831	John Patton Dp Lady 1 Sett Plates		.31 2
4/13/1831	George McBarrago Dp self 1 Sett Knives & Forks		1.25
4/22/1831	George McBerrago Dp self 2 wooden Bowl	.62 2 & .37 2	1.00
6/15/1831	[name not listed] 1 set of table spoons		npl
6/18/1831	[name not listed] 1 set table spoons		npl
6/20/1831	John Jamison Dp self 1 wooden Bowl		.50
6/21/1831	John Colvin Dp self 1 white chamber mug		.31
6/23/1831	Luzecus Stewart Dp Servant 1 set of plates		.31 2
6/23/1831	Jacob Thomas Dp self 4 Dishes 1 Set Plates 1 Set Cups and saucers 1 Bowl		1.12 .31 2 .18 3 .11 3
6/24/1831	Mrs. Curtis Dp self		

			519
	1 tea pot 6 Bowls	.06 3	.75 .39 3
6/24/1831	David Shafstall Dp self 2 plates	.06 3	.12 2
9/2/1831	Henry Small Dp Lady 10 Crocks 4 Ditto	.10 .08	1.00 .32
9/5/1831	John Patton Dp Lady 1 Tea kettle		2.25
9/5/1831	Samuel Machann Dp Able 2 Doz. Glasses		.35
9/7/1831	John Helfastery Dp self 1 Crock		.10
9/10/1831	James Wright Dp self 1 Crock		.20
9/14/1831	David Miller Dp Lady 4 Wine Glasses	.12 2	.50
9/15/1831	Thomas Horn Dp Boy 1 qt. Bottle		.12 2
9/26/1831	Jesse Horn Dp [illegible] 1 Sett tea spoons		<b>.37</b> 3
10/1/1831	Mrs. Rasanah Loek Dp John 1 Chamber Mug		.31 3
10/4/1831	John Doll Dp Lady 2 Sett Plates	.31 3	.16
105/1831	Miss Ann Brannon Dp self 1 Sett Plates		.31 3
10/10/1831	Henry Helfastay Dp self 1 Sett Liverpool Plates 1 ditto Cups & Saucers		1.00 .18 :
10/11/1831	David Miller Cooper Dp self 2 Crocks 1 Crock	.20 .12 2	.40 .12 2

			520
10/12/1831	John Helfastay Dp son 1 sett Knives & Forkes 2 ditto Spoons	.50	1.75 .25
10/22/1831	Jacob Vanmeta Dp self 1 Dinner Sett China, Complete 1	12 Piece	35.00
10/26/1831	Cornelius Devinney Dp self 1 Cast Kettle & Lid		1.50
10/26/1831	Cornelius Devinney Dp Mrs. Di 1 Sett Table Spoons	lly	.15
10/29/1831	John Doll Dp Lady 1 Bowl		.18
10/31/1831	George Porterfield Dp : Doz. China Cups & Saucers 1 Doz. Blue Ditto 1 Pitcher		1.87 2 1.00 .62 2
11/12/1831	John Jamison Dp self 2 Crocks	.08	.16

[End of pertinent entries in period of April-May, 1831, and September-November, 1831.]

## K. Hillsborough, Loudoun County, Virginia Store Operated by Samuel Clendening, 1834.

*Sources*: Hillsborough, Loudoun County, Virginia Store Operated by Samuel Clendening; *Daybook*, June 25, 1834-December 1, 1834; Manuscript Collection, Thomas Balch Library, Loudoun County Historical Society, Leesburg, Virginia.

Hillsborough, Loudoun County, Virginia Store Operated by Samuel Clendening; *Ledger*, 1817-1819; Manuscript Collection, Thomas Balch Library, Loudoun County Historical Society, Leesburg, Virginia.

Hillsborough, Loudoun County, Virginia Store Operated by Samuel Clendening; *Ledger*, 1801-1806; Manuscript Collection, Thomas Balch Library, Loudoun County Historical Society, Leesburg, Virginia.

This 1834 *Daybook* was used by store clerks to record the daily sales transactions of a general store that was located in Hillsborough, Loudoun County, Virginia, and operated by Samuel Clendening (also spelled "Clendining" and "Clendening"). This

book is organized in the manner of a typical daybook and covers the period of June 25, 1834 through December 1, 1834. This accounting record contains approximately 150 pages of sales entries, with an average of 25 sales transactions recorded on each page, for a total of approximately 3,750 total sales transactions.

Relevant sales transactions involving housewares during that time period are itemized below in a manner similar to the way the store clerks recorded them in the *Daybook*. The sales of housewares listed below total to just 106 sales transactions out of that total of approximately 3,750, or approximately three percent of the total sales transactions in the daybook. The pricing information is listed primarily in pounds, shillings and pence.

This store was located at the southern end of the Loudoun Valley, in the area in which the Demory family resided. A number of the customers listed in this book were neighbors of the Demorys. However, there is no mention of the Demory name in this 1814-1816 *Daybook*. However, a fragmentary and deteriorated *Ledger* book covering customer accounts for this store in the years 1817-1819 lists a "William Demory" as having paid "3 <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>" pence in cash for an amount due on May 21, 1819. A second *Ledger* book, covering the years 1801-1806 contained no references to the name of Demory.

<u>Date</u> 7/1/1834	<u>Customer</u> Isaac Brown Dp		
	<u>Items Purchased</u> 2 2 Doz. liver Pool Plates 2 Dishes 3 do.	4/4 /11 & /10 /10	<u>Prices</u> ntpl ntpl ntpl
6/25/1834	Mortimer McIlhaney Dp 2 Bowles	/4 2	ntpl
6/30/1834	John White Dp 1 Doz. Pye Dishes	/4 2	ntpl
6/30/1834	Jesse Evans Dp Joseph Young 2 Doz spoons 2 Bowles 2 tin cups	3/~ /8 /4 2	ntpl ntpl ntpl
7/1/1834	Mrs. Campher Dp 1 Large Earthen Pott	/31	ntpl
7/1/1834	Thomas Hough Dp 2 Doz Knives & forkes 2 Doz Plates 2 Doz Cups & Saucers	12/~ 2/~ 1/~	ntpl ntpl ntpl

7/1/1834	Joseph Haugh Dp 5 lge plates 2 Doz spoons 1 tin Bucket 1 Bowle & Lid 1 Doz Plates 3/12 Doz do. 1 Coffee Pott	/4 2 3/~ 4/6 3/1 /30 3/~ 3/3	ntpl ntpl ntpl ntpl ntpl ntpl
7/1/1834	Mortimer McIlhaney Dp 1 Tea Pott	1/6	ntpl
7/1/1834	John Stono Dp 2 Milk Potts 1 Jug 1 Set Knives & forkes	/10 1/11 12/9	ntpl ntpl ntpl
7/1/1834	John Washington Dp 1 Coffee Pott 1 Tin Bucket	3/9 4/6	ntpl ntpl
7/3/1834	Dad [illegible] Dp 1 Doz Plates 2 Doz Bowles	4/6 4/6	ntpl ntpl
7/3/1834	Nathan Neer Dp 6 Pye Dishes 2 Doz Plates 1 Dipper 1 Skimmer	/4 2 /8 /9 /8	ntpl ntpl ntpl ntpl
7/3/1834	William Thompson Dp 1 Skimmer 1 Dipper	/8 /9	ntpl ntpl
7/3/1834	William Thompson Dp 2 Doz Plates 1 Turene	4/9 3/~	ntpl ntpl
7/4/1834	John Campbell Dp 2 Tumblers	/9	ntpl
7/5/1834	Jacob Shutt Dp 1 Tin cup	/4 2	ntpl
7/5/1834	Nathan Neer Dp 1 Jug	1/6	ntpl

7/8/1834	Mahlon McAlster Dp 1 Dish	/20	ntpl
7/8/1834	Dad Dowling Dp 2 Doz Jelley glasses	8/3	ntpl
7/9/1834	Mrs. Grimes Dp 1 Dish	/20	ntpl
7/10/1834	James White Dp wife 1 Jar 1 ditto 1 do.	4/~ /9 1/6	ntpl ntpl ntpl
7/11/1834	Joseph S. Hough Dp 1 Jar	4/~	ntpl
7/18/1834	Charles Baseau Dp 1 Set Cups & Saucers	1/~	ntpl
7/18/1834	John A. Washington Dp 1 Doz Dining Plates 2 Doz. Breakfast Plates 2 Dishes 2 ditto 2 ditto 2 Vegetable Dishes 2 do do. 1 Doz. Cups & Saucers 1 Doz. Cup & Saucer with Har	1.25 6/~ /62 2 4/~ 3/~ 2.00 ndles	\$3.00 2.75 ntpl 2.00 1.25 1.33 1.00 ntpl 2.73
7/21/1834	Eli Cove Dp 2 Milk Potts 2 do. do.	/9 /4 2	ntpl ntpl
7/21/1834	George Barchhouse Dp 1 tin pan	1/~	ntpl
7/22/1834	John Earnest Dp 1 Set Cups & Saucers	/18 :	ntpl
7/23/1834	Joseph Hough Dp 2 Milk Potts	/10	ntpl
7/25/1834	Mortimer McIlhaney Dp 1 Tea Pott	1/6	ntpl

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8/2/1834	Strother Bell Dp 1 Doz Plates 1 Set Cups & Saucers	4/6 1/~		ntpl ntpl
8/4/1834	Eli Love Dp 2 Doz Tumblers 2 Doz China Cups & Sauc. 2 Doz do. with Handles 7/6 1 [illegible] Bowle 1 Tea Pott	/10 6/~ 1/6 4/6	ntpl	ntpl ntpl ntpl ntpl
8/4/1834	Mortimer McIlhaney Dp 2 [illegible] Tumblers			1.50
8/4/1834	John Washington Dp 2 doz. Tumblers 1 Sugar Bowle	9/~ 3/~		ntpl ntpl
8/19/1834	M. McIlhaney Dp 2 Mugs	/9		ntpl
8/19/1834	Joseph Lefler Dp 7/12 doz. Plates	/60		ntpl
8/19/1834	Joseph Leslie Dp 1 Coffee Pott	/42		ntpl
8/22/1834	Dad Dowling Dp wife 2 Bowles	/4 2		ntpl
8/27/1834	John Earnest Dp 3 Plates 3 Tumblers	/8 /10		ntpl ntpl
9/2/1834	Mrs. McIlhaney Dp Frances 1 Doz. Plates	/60		ntpl
9/10/1834	Susan Mary Paulslan Dp 1 Set Cups & Saucers	1/~		ntpl
9/17/1834	Mortimer McIlhaney Dp 2 Mugs	/9		ntpl
9/18/1834	Wm. Nixon Dp 1 Cream Pot			npl
9/18/1834	Eli Love Dp 4 milk Pott	/4 2		ntpl

9/23/1834	John A. Washington Dp 1 Set knives & forkes		1.50
9/25/1834	Jacob Shutt Dp 1 Large Bowle 1 Set Cups & Saucers	3/~ 6/~	ntpl ntpl
9/25/1834	Benjamin Ogdon Dp 1 Coffee Pott	1/6	ntpl
9/29/1834	<ul> <li>T. M. McIlhaney Dp</li> <li>4 milk potts</li> <li>3 Dishes</li> <li>1 doz do.</li> <li>2 doz Plates</li> <li>Recd 2 Dishes</li> </ul>	/9 /8 /4 2 /30 /4 cred	ntpl ntpl ntpl ntpl ntpl
10/3/1834	John Stone Dp 3 Bowles 2 Doz Plates	/4 2 /30	ntpl ntpl
10/8/1834	John White Dp Tom 1 Chamber Pott	1/6	ntpl
10/20/1834	James White Dp 1 Jar	3/~	ntpl
10/25/1834	John Stone Dp 1 Set Cups & saucers	1/~	ntpl
11/4/1834	Thomas White Dp 2 Doz Plates 2 Doz Cups & Saucers	/30 1/~	ntpl ntpl
11/7/1834	Jacob Shutt Dp Order 1 Set Cups & Saucers	1/~	ntpl
11/8/1834	Ana Brown Dp 4 Tumblers 2 Doz. Plates	/9 /30	ntpl ntpl
11/14/1834	Dad Dowling Dp 1 Tin Pan	/18 :	ntpl
11/20/1834	John White Dp 1 Pitcher	3/9	ntpl

11/22/1834	William Brady Dp		
	1 Pitcher	1/6	ntpl
	1 Set Cups & Saucers	1/~	ntpl
	1 Tumbler	/10	ntpl

[End of pertinent entries in period of June 25, 1834 through December 1, 1834.]

### L. Loudoun County, Virginia Store Operated by an Unidentified Merchant, 1837-1839.

*Source*: Loudoun County, Virginia Store Operated by an Unidentified Merchant; *Daybook*, 1837-1839; Manuscript Collection, Accession No. Mss. 9096-cf, Special Collections Department, Alderman Library, University of Virginia, Charlottesville, Virginia.

This *Daybook* was used by store clerks to record the daily sales transactions of a general store that was located in Loudoun County, Virginia, and operated by an unidentified merchant. This book is organized in the manner of a typical daybook, and covers the period of September 27, 1837 through April 6, 1839. This accounting record contains approximately 375 pages of sales entries, with an average of 23 sales transactions recorded on each page, for a total of approximately 8,625 sales transactions.

Relevant sales transactions involving housewares during that time period are itemized below in a manner similar to the way the store clerks recorded them in the *Daybook*. The sales of housewares listed below total to just 280 sales transactions out of that total of approximately 8,625, or approximately three percent of the total sales transactions in the daybook. The pricing information is listed primarily in dollars and cents.

The customers listed in this daybook include a number of persons who lived in the area of Neersville, in the Loudoun Valley, and a number of those customers were neighbors of the Demory family. However, there is no mention of the Demory name in this 1837-1839 *Daybook*.

<u>Date</u> 9/27/1837	<u>Customer</u> Israel Burten Dp self		
	<u>Items Purchased</u> 1 milk Pot		<u>Prices</u> \$.08
10/2/1837	Eli Janney Dp wife 2 doz. C Plates 1 Cream cup 1 Wash pan	.66	.33 .12 2 .50

10/3/1837	Joshua Hatcher Dp self 1 common Pitcher		.37 2
10/3/1837	M. Dowell Dp wife 2 small Plates 1 Liverpool do. 2 Bowls	.04 .06 3	.08 .10 .12 2
10/12/1837	John Brown Dp Sarah 1 Tin dipper		.20
10/12/1837	John Phillips Dp daughter 1 Tin dipper 1 set cups & saucers		.12 2 .37 2
10/12/1837	Solomon Reese Dp wife 1 white pitcher		.31 3
10/14/1837	Nancy Lavenner Dp self 1 Milk Pot 1 Jar		.10 .16
10/20/1837	Nathan Gregg Dp self 1 Milk pot 1 Do. Do. 1 Chamber Do.		.12 2 .10 .25
10/20/1837	William Taylor Dp self 2 Milk Pots	.12 2	.25
10/21/1837	Thomas Greg Dp self 1 tin dipper		.20
10/24/1837	Jonas Smith Dp self 2 milk pots 2 Do. Do.	.22 .12 2	.44 .25
10/24/1837	Israel Burke Dp sister 1 Set Plates 1 Wash Pan 1 Do. Do.		.33 .43 3 .63 :
10/24/1837	John Comies Sr. Dp 1 Dipper		.20
10/25/1837	Gregg Grimes Dp self		

	1 set cups & saucers		528 .31 2
10/25/1837	George Grimes Dp S. Fairhirst 2 Milk Pans 2 Do. Pots	.22 .25	.44 .50
10/30/1837	William Bitzer Dp wife 1 Set tea spoons		.25
10/30/1837	C. B. Dowell Dp Girl 2 milk pots 2 Do. Do.	.22 .12 2	.44 .25
11/1/1837	James Frame Dp Girl 2 doz. C Plates	.66	.33
11/1/1837	Israel Burke Dp self 1 stone Jar		.50
11/2/1837	C. B. Dowell Dp self 2 milk pots	.12 2	.25
11/6/1837	C. B. Dowell Dp self 2 milk pots	.12 2	.25
11/6/1837	Israel Burke Dp boy 1 Chamber pot		.37 2
11/7/1837	Solomon Reese Dp wife 5 Plates Common	.25	.75
11/8/1837	George Werkes Dp self 2 Doz. Plates		.33
11/15/1837	Nathan Gregg Dp wife 2 Doz. C. Plates 1 Set C. Cups & saucers 7 Earthen Dishes	.87 2 .08	.43 : .31 3 .56
11/17/1837	Nancy Lavenner Dp self 2 Dishes 2 Plates	.17 .04	.33 a .08
11/20/1837	C. B. Dowell Dp wife 2 Milk pots 2 milk pots	.22 .12 2	.44 .25

11/29/1837	Israel Warner Dp wife 2 Doz. C. Plates 1 Set knives & forks	.66	.33 1.00
12/16/1837	Lucullus Hospittle Dp wife 1 set teaspoons		.25
12/29/1837	Nancy Lavenner Dp self 2 Bowls 1 Mug	.06 3	.12 2 .16 2
1/2/1838	James Frame Dp self 5 milk pots	.10	.50
1/3/1838	Thomas Dowdle Dp self 2 tin cups	.05 2	.11
1/11/1838	John Dodd Dp Mary 1 Pitcher		.31 3
1/18/1838	Jonah Smith Dp 6 milk pots		1.32
1/23/1838	Mary Clowes Dp Thomas 1 Blk teapot		.25
1/29/1838	Gabriel Vandervanter Dp order 3 Milk Pots	.25	.75
1/30/1838	Mariah Brown Dp self 1 Set knives & forks		1.12 2
1/31/1838	David Dunham Dp self 1 pr Pitchers 1 Toilet Glass 1 Shaving cup 4 Brittania cups 1 Gal. Jug	.10	1.75 [illeg.] .25 .40 .31 3
2/3/1838	Nancy Hamilton Dp Malinda 1 Milk pot		.25
2/6/1838	David Carr Dp self 1 Four prong fork		<b>1.12</b> 2
2/12/1838	David H. Brown Dp wife 3 Bowls	.06 3	.18 :

3/7/1838	Thomas Hatcher Dp self			
5,771050	2 Earthen 2 Gal. jugs			.33
3/15/1838	Absolom Beam Dp wife			
	2 milk pans 1 Earthen Jar	.12 2		.25 .17
				.17
3/17/1838	William French Dp self 6 Milk pots	.10		.60
				.00
4/9/1838	Nancy Lavenner Dp self 4 milk pots	.10		.40
	1 Do. Do.	.10		.08
4/9/1838	Jonah Sands Dp wife			
	1 Milk pot			.22
	1 do. do.			.10
4/11/1838	Isaac Hogue Dp wife 1 Sets cups & saucers			.43 :
	1 do. do. do. common			.45 :
	1 small Pitcher			.25
	2 Milk Pots	.22		.44
	2 small Butter plates	.04		.08
	1 Stone Milk pot			.31 3
4/12/1838	Elsey Cummin Dp wife			
	4 Tumblers	.08		.32
4/16/1838	Jonathan Lavenner Dp self			
	2 Cracket Milk pots	.06 3		.12 2
	4 small do. do.	.10		.40 .50
	1 Cream pots			.30
4/20/1838	William Taylor Dp self			20
	1 Stone pitcher 2 tea spoons			.20 .08
	2 tea spoons			.00
4/23/1838	David Brown Dp wife		65	
	: doz. tumblers		.65	
4/24/1838	George Grimes Dp wife	00		
	2 Bowls	.08		.16

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	4 do.	.06		.24
	4 tumblers	.08		.32
	2 preserve plates	.18 :		.37 2
	4 Butter plates	.04		.16
4/27/1838	Lidia Heaton Dp Cecilia 1 doz. L. P. Plates			1.75
	1 doz. tumblers			.48
4/27/1838	Mary Clowes Dp self			
	1 doz. tea plates			1.12 2
5/1/1838	Elizabeth Burke Dp self			
	1 Stone Pitcher			.20
	1 damaged tin cup			.04
5/7/1838	Malinda Lavenner Dp			
	2 doz. C. plates		.33	
	2 Bowls	.06 3		.12 2
	1 fork	04		.17
	2 small tin cups 1 Large do.	.04		.08 .16 3
	I Laige do.			.10 5
5/8/1838	David Brown Dp wife			
	1 tin tea pot			.37 2
	1 Small tin cup			.04
5/9/1838	Thomas [illegible] Dp self			
	2 Gal. Jug			.20
5/11/1838	Dohant Dontlasy, Dr. blook wor			
5/11/1858	Robert Bentley Dp black wom 6 milk pots	.10		.60
	o mini poto			.00
5/15/1838	Nancy Hamilton Dp	00		24
	3 tumblers 1 do.	.08 .06		.24
	2 plates	.08 .04		.06 3 .08
	3 do.	.04		.16 2
5/15/1838	John Brown Dp daughter			
	1 tin cup			.06 3
5/15/1838	Nancy Hamilton Dp			
	1 dish			.20
5/16/1838	Malenday Lavenner Dp self			
5/10/1050	1 Tin bucket			.75

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5/19/1838	R. C. Braden Dp order 2 milk pots	.25	.50
5/21/1838	John L. Parsons Dp order 2 milk pans	.10	.20
5/22/1838	<ul><li>William B. French Dp self</li><li>1 Set cups &amp; saucers</li><li>1 Tin bucket</li><li>1 Coffee pot</li><li>4 tumblers</li></ul>	.12 2	.62 2 .75 .56 3 .50
5/23/1838	Eli Janney Dp wife 8 Earthen Dishes 4 Do. Do.	.08 .06 3	.64 .25
5/26/1838	Henry L. Taylor Dp self 6 Earthen Dishes 1 do. do. 1 Stone Milk pot 2 Earthen do.	.10 .08	.60 .08 .37 2 .16
6/8/1838	Jonah Nichols Dp wife 3 doz. Plates 1 Set Table spoons 1 do. Tea do. 2 tumblers 1 White Pitcher 2 tin cups	.08 .06 3	.33 .50 .25 .16 .25 .12 2
6/15/1838	Robert Curry Dp daughter 1 set cups & saucers		.31 2
6/27/1838	George Greiner Dp wife 2 L. pitcher 1 do. tea pots 1 Sets Table spoons		1.25 .75 .25
6/27/1838	Elizabeth Burke Dp self 2 mug	.06	.12
7/4/1838	Eli Lavenner Dp self 7 tin cups	.06 3	.43 :
7/5/1838	William Marchat Dp daughter 2 tumblers	.04	.08

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7/7/1838	Elizabeth Burke Dp self 3 L. Plates 2 tumblers 1 do.	.12 2		.25 .25 .08
7/7/1838	Gabriel Vandervanter Dp self 1 Ladle 1 Cullender			.37 2 .37 2
7/7/1838	Absolom Beam Dp 1 Jug			.33
7/7/1838	George Warner Dp Miss Larlte 1 Set Iron Spoons 2 Doz. tumblers .08	0	.48	.25
	1 tin pan			.25
7/9/1838	<ul><li>C. B. Dowell Dp self</li><li>2 Doz. plates</li><li>1 tin bucket</li></ul>			.33 .62 2
7/10/1838	<ul><li>William Marchant Dp wife</li><li>2 Doz. tea spoons C.</li><li>4 milk pots</li><li>2 tin cups</li><li>1 milk pot</li></ul>	.10 .04		.10 .40 .08 .08
7/11/1838	James Love Dp 1 sugar bowl 2 plates 1 do.			.06 3 .11 .20
7/16/1838	Nancy Hamilton Dp 1 jug			.03 3
7/17/1838	John Middlecomb Dp wife 2 tin pans 2 do. do. 1 set china & saucer 8 cup & plates 2 teapots 2 L. Dishes 2 do. plates	.08 .06 .37 2		.16 .12 1.00 .42 1.12 2 .75 .18 :
7/17/1838	David Carr Dp wife 1 doz. Liverpool plates 1 [Liverpool] pitcher			1.00 .45

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7/19/1838	Nancy Hamilton Dp 2 tin cups	.06 3	.12 2
7/20/1838	Thomas Hatch Dp self 1 tin bucket 6 Bake dishes		.45 .33
7/20/1838	Isaac Warner Dp son 1 Pitcher		.25
7/28/1838	Wm. Eatcher Dp self & wife 1 Blk teapot		.25
7/31/1838	Jonas Smith Dp self 1 Set Common cups & saucers 1 do. Liverpool do. do. odd 6 tumblers 1 Cream cup	.08	.31 3 .37 2 .48 .25
8/3/1838	Eli Janney Dp wife 3 tumblers 2 bowls	.08 .06 3	.24 .12 2

	4 tin cups 1 Chamber pot	.06 3	.25 .42
8/4/1838	Wm. Piggot Dp wife 1 Set Liverpool cups & saucers 2 doz. Liverpool plates	1.50	.62 2 .75
8/13/1838	Thomas Hatcher Dp wife 1 set cups & saucers		.31 3
8/14/1838	Nancy Hamilton Dp 1 picher 1 wash pan 1 mug		.25 .50 .10
8/15/1838	John Brown Dp daughter 1 wash pan 4 tumblers 2 Doz. plates	.08	.37 2 .32 .33
8/15/1838	Mary Birdal Dp self 2 tin cups	.06 3	.12 2
8/16/1838	George Greines Dp self 2 Large pots	.33	.66
8/18/1838	James Frame Dp self 3 tumblers	.21	.63
8/25/1838	George Greines Dp wife 2 Doz. plates 1 milk pot		.33 .12 2
8/25/1838	James Tavenner Dp self 1 stone jar		.42
8/29/1838	Nancy Hamilton Dp 1 Earthen jar		.17
9/1/1838	Eli Lavenner Dp self 4 Milk Pots	.12 3	.50
9/3/1838	Elizabeth Burke Dp self 1 Gal. jug		.31 3
9/11/1838	Mrs. Mary Ann French Dp self 1 Large pot		.33

9/14/1838	John Brown Dp wife			
	1 milk strainer			.25
9/14/1838	Solomon Reese Dp daughter 1 stone jar			.50
9/22/1838	James Best Dp order2 doz. tumblers2.50		1.25	
9/22/1838	John Brown Dp self 4 bowls 2 small bowls	.10 .06		.40 .12
9/24/1838	David Brown Dp girl 1 Set Cups & Saucers			.31
9/28/1838	Thomas N. Hart Dp self & wife 1 doz L. plates 1 do. do. 2 C. Dishes 2 Butter plates 1 doz. L. Cups & saucers 2 Pitchers 1 Cream Jug 2 doz. Glass Cups 1 Teapot 1 Bowl 1 do. 1 Mug 2 Doz. Knives & forks 2 do. do. 1 Tin bucket	.04 .50		1.75 1.25 1.25 .33 .08 1.25 1.00 .31 .75 .31 3 .10 .08 .06 2.25 .75
9/28/1838	John T. Widdicom Dp self 4 milk pots	.12 3		.50
9/28/1838	David Brown Dp order 2 milk pots	.12 2		.25
10/22/1838	Joseph Tavenner Dp Amos Mc 2 milk pots	David .18 :		.37 2
10/25/1838	Solomon Reese Dp self 1 tin pan 2 Doz. plates			.50 .33

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10/26/1838	Mason Chambers Dp self & wi 1 Set Ivory knives & forks 1 Set G silver spoons teas	ife	10.00 1.37 2
10/26/1838	Isaac Vandervanter Dp self 1 Stone Pitcher		.20
11/15/1838	Nancy Hamilton Dp 1 Milk pot		.18 :
11/22/1838	Daniel Copper Dp wife 1 tin dipper		.12 2
11/23/1838	George Greines Dp wife 1 Doz. white plates 1 tin boiler		.31 2 .62
11/24/1838	James McFrame Dp self 1 Chamber mug		.25
12/5/1838	Nancy Hamilton Dp 1 tea pot		. <b>62</b> 2
12/13/1838	Elizabeth Hatcher Dp Blk won 1 Set C. Cups & saucers	nan	.31 3
12/13/1838	William Marchant Dp wife 1 set cups & saucers		.31 3
12/18/1838	Jonathan Tavenner Dp Miss L. 1 L. teapot 1 Butter plate	Morser	.62 2 .06
12/19/1838	Nancy Tavenner Dp daughter 1 tin pan 4 small plates		.18 : .12 2
12/22/1838	John Brown Dp self 2 doz. white plates		.31 3
12/24/1838	Joseph Tavenner Dp L. McDar 1 tin pan	niel	.31 3
12/26/1838	Mary Love Dp self 2 milk pans 2 do. do. 1 set knives & forks 2 small plates	.18 : .12 2 .09	.37 2 .25 2.62 .18

12/28/1838	Wm. Tavenner Dp self 1 C. dish			.18
1/1/1839	Mary Clowes Dp self 1 tea pot 1 sugar bowl			.37 2 .37 2
1/4/1839	Joseph Tavenner Dp John Tav 1 set knives & forks	enner		2.25
1/17/1839	James McFrame Dp self 6 milk pots	.12 2		.75
1/30/1839	John Dodd Dp wife & Lucinda 2 dishes 2 preserve do. 1 Blk tea pot 1 Set C. cups & saucers	1		.33 .50 .31 3 1.00
1/30/1839	Elizabeth Burke Dp self 1 tin cup			.16 3
2/1/1839	James Cox Dp self 1 set knives & forks 1 do. tea spoons			1.87 2 .25
2/12/1839	Solomon Reese Dp wife 1 Dish 2 small do.			.31 3 .33
2/13/1839	Isaac Vandervanter Dp self 2 doz. Plates 4 tin cups	.06 3		.43 .26
2/21/1839	Jonah Sands Dp wife 2 Doz. L. Plates 1.50 1 Small Pitcher		.75	.25
2/21/1839	Lydia Heaton Dp order 1 Set L. Cups & Saucers 1 small dish			.62 2 .16 2
2/21/1839	Jonathan Tavenner Dp self 1 Tea kettle			2.25
2/21/1839	John Brown Dp daughter 1 Set Cups & Saucers			.31 2

3/6/1839	<ul><li>Wm. C. Cumming Dp wife</li><li>1 Set C. Plates</li><li>1 do. C. Cups &amp; Saucers</li><li>1 Tin dipper</li></ul>		.31 3 .31 3 .18 :
3/16/1839	A. Jackson Dp Mary McWright 8 Liverpool plates	1.25 doz.	.84
3/18/1839	Nancy Clowes Dp order 1 Blk tea pot 1 large Coffee do.		.25 .62 2
3/18/1839	Isaac Vandervanter Dp self 1 Blk tea pot		.25
3/25/1839	Sarah McDaniel Dp Betty 1 Cream jug		.12 2
3/29/1839	R. C. Braden Dp boy 1 C. Pot 1 do. do.		.62 2 .42
4/1/1839	Solomon Reese Dp wife 6 tumblers 1 white pitcher	.12 2	.75 .17

[End of pertinent entries in period of 1837-1839.]

## M. Leitersburg, Washington County, Maryland Store Operated by Fletcher & Lanz, 1838-1839.

*Source*: Leitersburg, Washington County, Maryland Store Operated by Fletcher & Lanz; *Daybook*, January 1, 1838-March 11, 1839; Archive Collections Ledger 2, Washington County Historical Society, Hagerstown, Maryland.

This *Daybook* was used by store clerks to record the daily sales transactions of a general store that was located in Leitersburg (near Hagerstown), Washington County, Maryland, and operated by the firm of Fletcher & Lanz. This book is organized in the manner of a typical daybook. This accounting record contains a few hundred pages of records. I reviewed the records for one year, from January 1, 1838 through December 31, 1838 in detail, which were recorded on 455 pages of sales entries, with an average of 24 sales transactions recorded on each page, for a total of approximately 10,920 total sales transactions in that year.

Relevant sales transactions involving housewares during that time period are itemized below in a manner similar to the way the store clerks recorded them in the *Daybook*. The sales of housewares listed below total to just 175 sales transactions out of that total of approximately 10,920, or approximately two percent of the total sales transactions in the daybook. The pricing information is listed primarily in dollars and cents.

The names of Frederick and Lewis Zeigler appear frequently as customers in these records. They were brothers and operated a farm, mill and distillery in the area (*History of Leitersburg Dustrict, Washington County, MD*, by Herbert C. Bell, published by the author, 1898, Leitersburg, Maryland; available at the Washington County Historical Society, Hagerstown, Maryland). The Zeiglers paid the store for these purchases in large part by providing the store with hauling services (*Daybook*, 10/29/1838).

<u>Date</u> 1/1/1838	<u>Customer</u> Fredk Bele D		
	<u>Items Purchased</u> 1 Tea Pot	.15	<u>Prices</u> ntpl
1/3/1838	Fredk Zeigler D 4 Crocks 2 Do. 4 Do. returned	.25 .20 .10	\$1.00 .40 .40 cred
1/5/1838	Wm. E. Doyle D 2 crocks	.20	.40
1/15/1838	James Dillahane D 1 Pitcher 2 Tumblers		.25 .12
1/17/1838	Fredk Zeigler D 2 Crocks	.05	.10
1/19/1838	Christain Fleet D 1 Bottle	.122	ntpl
1/24/1838	Capt. J. Reizing D 4 Crocks	.25	ntpl
1/29/1838	Doc. J. Byer D 1 Bottle		.25
1/30/1838	Michl Greybill D		

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	2 Crock	.10	ntpl
2/7/1838	Saml Sydney D 2 doz Plates 3 do. do. 2 Bowls	.75 .25 .25	ntpl ntpl ntpl
2/19/1838	Frederick Zeigler D 2 doz Tin Cups	.06	.372
2/24/1838	[illegible] Zeigler D 1 Tin [illegible] Dish		.37
2/27/1838	Doct Frederick Byer D 1 bottle		.12
2/27/1838	Jacob Hantle D 1 Sett spoons		.62
2/28/1838	Adam Lentz D 1 Coffee Pot		.87
3/2/1838	William Gabby D 1 Sett Plates 2 Doz Do. 1 Sett knives	1.12	.37 .56 1.87
3/3/1838	Fredk Zeigler D 1 Crock		.06
3/6/1838	Frederick Zeigler D 12 Crocks	.08	.96
3/15/1838	[illegible] Zeigler D 1 Plate		.06
3/19/1838	Joseph Finstine D 1 Churn		1.25
4/2/1838	Frederick Zeigler D 1 doz Plates 1 C Jug 2 Dishes 2 Dishes 1 Do.	.50 .22	1.25 .25 1.00 .44 .12
4/2/1838	Frederick Zeigler D 1 Doz Plates		1.25

	1 Sett Cups		.31 542
4/2/1838	Christopher Burkhardt D 1 sett cups 1 C Jug	1.22	1.22 .19
4/5/1838	Capt J. Byry D 4 Tumblers		.50
4/5/1838	David William Zeigler Farm D Seive & knife	)	1.00
4/6/1838	Joseph D. Flagg D 6 Crocks	.08	.48
4/14/1838	Lewis Zeigler D 3 Plates	.10 2	.31 2
4/25/1838	Jos D. Heely D 2 Dishes	.18 2	.37
4/25/1838	Widow R. Burkhardt D 2 Plates	.10 2	.21
4/26/1838	Jacob Good D 1 Chamber pot		.31
5/4/1838	Fredk Zeigler D 1 Crock		.11
5/8/1838	James Dellahind pr wife D 1 Picher 1 Glass tumbler		.12 2 .12 2
5/9/1838	Peter Spissard Jr. D 1 bottle		.25
5/10/1838	Josiah Flagg D 2 Kroks		.12 2
5/11/1838	Jacob Wolfingey D 3 Plates 2 Bowls 1 Sett cups & saucers	.05 2 .07	.16 2 .14 .31
5/11/1838	Saml Sydney D 1 Tin Bucket		.87

5/15/1838	Jacob Burkhardt D 5 Glass	.04	.20
5/18/1838	Fredk Zeigler D 1 Sett Plates		.44
5/23/1838	Dane Sheetz D 1 Sett Plates 1 Sett Cups & S.		.31 .31
5/23/1838	Fredk Zeigler D 1 tin bucket		.31
6/1/1838	Michael Wolpinger D doz plates 2 gallon bottle 11 Crocks		.44 .25 .68 2
6/2/1838	John Welty D Cups & saucers		.75
6/2/1838	John Mayhue D 1 Sett Cups & Saucers		.32
6/7/1838	Saul Stahl D 2 Setts Plates 1 Sett Cups & Saucers 1 do. Knives & Forks 2 Bowls		.53 .31 1.62 .12
6/8/1838	Michl Wolfinger D 1 doz Plates		.87
6/15/1838	Doc. F. Byrne D 2 Crocks		.10
6/15/1838	Henry Osburn D 1 Sett Plates		.31
6/16/1838	Joseph Gably pr Eliza D 1 Sett Plates 1 Sett Cups & Saucers		.31 .37 2
6/18/1838	Jonathan Stouffer D 2 doz Plates 3 do. do. 2 Butter plates 1 Sett Cups & Saucers		.62 2 .31 .15 .37

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	1 do. spoons			1.50 .62
6/18/1838	Fredk Zeigler D 8 Bowls 2 doz Plates 1 Sett Cups	.07 .44		.56 .22 .31
6/18/1838	Fredk Zeigler D 2 doz Tumblers 1 Sett knives		.75	1.50
6/27/1838	Fredk Zeigler D 1 Tin Bucket			.87
6/30/1838	Fredk Zeigler D 1 Sett Cups			.37
7/3/1838	Lewis Zeigler D 10 Tumblers	.12 3		1.25
7/4/1838	Fredk Zeigler D 1 Sett Tumblers 1 Sett Plates 1 Sett Knives 2 doz. Tea spoons			1.06 .75 1.00 .25
7/4/1838	David Sheppard D 1 Tea Kettle			2.50
7/5/1838	Lewis Zeigler D 1 Set spoons			.25
7/6/1838	George Shief D 1 Tin Wash Dish 2 doz Butter plates 2 Dishes 1 Sett spoons 1 do. tea spoons	.25		.87 .25 .50 .50 .25
7/6/1838	[illegible] Weaver D 2 dz red Plates Butter plates			.62 .11
7/9/1838	Wm E. Doyle D 1 qt. tumbler			.25

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	3 small do.		.37
7/9/1838	Jacob Wolfinger D 1 Tin Bucket		.87
7/11/1838	Lewis Zeigler D 4 Croks		.20
7/16/1838	Michl Wolfinger D 1 Sett knives & forks		1.50
8/1/1838	George Shirp D 4 tumblers		.50
8/3/1838	George Shirp D 1 Sett China Cups		.75
8/14/1838	Jacob Wolfinger D 1 Chamber Pot		.37
8/14/1838	John Flaugher pr William D 1 bottle No. 6		.25
8/15/1838	Fredk Koppisch D 1 Sett Cups & Sauc		.37
8/17/1838	F. Byer D 8 crocks	.06 3	.50
8/21/1838	Saml Cook pr wife D 1 milk skimmer		.15
8/23/1838	Sukey Basil D 3 doz. spoons Tumblers		.31 .25
8/30/1838	Lewis Zeigler D 1 Tumbler		.06
9/1/1838	Lewis Zeigler D 1 Cream Jug		.19
9/4/1838	Wm E. Doyle D 1 Coffee Pot		.50
9/4/1838	Widow Norford D 1 Sett Plates		.62

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9/4/1838	Saml McKey pr wife D 1 Crok		.06
9/5/1838	J.P. Stephy D 1 Crock		.05
9/7/1838	Fredk Zeigler D 1 Bottle		.12
9/10/1838	Hasiah Spissard D 1 Pitcher		.25
9/13/1838	Joseph Finstine D 1 Sett knives 1 Sett spoons		1.75 .62
9/14/1838	Henry Osburn pr Sally D 1 Dish		.37
9/15/1838	Doc. F. Byer D 6 Tumblers		.75
9/18/1838	Doc. F. Byer D 1 Plate		.03
9/29/1838	Fredk Zeigler D 6 Bowls	.07	.42
10/1/1838	Mickel Grabil D 3 Croks		.15
10/1/1838	George W. Lantz pr C. Daniel 1 Sett Cups & saucers 1 Sett Plates	D	.31 .31
10/3/1838	Fredk Zeigler D 1 Sett Plates 1 Do. Do. 1 Do. Cups 2 Croks		.44 .31 .31 .10
10/8/1838	James Deelhaney D 1 Dish		.31
10/11/1838	Geo. W. Lantz D 8 Crocks	.06	.50
10/17/1838	Lewis Zeigler D 1 Bucket		.75

10/19/1838	Benjamin Stoner D 26 Crocks 3 Do.	.08 .05	2.08 .15
10/19/1838	Geo. H. Lambry D 1 Bottle		.25
10/19/1838	Michl Graybill D 1 Bottle No. 6		.31
10/22/1838	Wm. Roley D 4 Crocks		.20
10/23/1838	Elias Stouffer D 8 Crocks		.50
10/23/1838	Fredk Zeigler D 30 Crocks 12 Do. 6 Do.	.10 .08 .05	3.00 .96 .30
10/26/1838	Archd Zeigler D 1 plate		.05
10/27/1838	Jonathan Stouffer D 1 doz glasses		.44
10/29/1838	Lewis Zeigler D 1 Sett small cups 3 Dishes		.25 .19
10/29/1838	Fredk Zeigler D 1 Sett cups		.25
10/31/1838	Daniel G. Wolfinger D 8 Crocks	.08	.64
11/9/1838	Henry Bartner D 2 doz Spoons		.25
11/14/1838	Henry H. Shither D 1 doz glasses		.44
11/15/1838	Jacob Goad D 4 Croks		.20

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11/16/1838	Fredk Zeigler D 1 Dish			.37
11/20/1838	Jacob Burkhardt D 1 crock			.04
11/27/1838	Saul G. Wolfinger D 1 Sett knives 1 do. spoons			1.75 .62
11/30/1838	Wm. E. Doyle D 2 Plates 6 do. 6 do.			.14 .23 .38
12/3/1838	Lewis Zeigler D 1 Sett Plates 1 do. Cups & Sauc.			.62 .31
12/11/1838	Fredk Zeigler D 2 plates			.15
12/14/1838	Michael Wolfinger D 1 Pitcher			.37
12/18/1838	Lewis Zeigler D 2 Doz. Dishes			.44
12/20/1838	Fredk Zeigler D 1 Wash Dish 1 Bowl 1 Plate 2 Dishes 2 Do. 1 Sett Cups & S	.05 .08		.75 .08 .08 .10 .16 .31
12/20/1838	John [illegible] pr Lester D 2 tumblers			.25
12/24/1838	John Strite pr order D 4 Crocks 4 Do.	.08 .07	1020 4	.32 .28

[End of pertinent entries in period of January 1, 1838 through December, 31, 1838.]

### N. Loudoun County, Virginia Store Operated by an Unidentified

#### Merchant, 1839-1840.

*Source*: Loudoun County, Virginia Store Operated by an Unidentified Merchant; *Daybook*, 1839-1840; Manuscript Collection, Accession No. Mss. 9096-cf, Special Collections Department, Alderman Library, University of Virginia, Charlottesville, Virginia.

This *Daybook* was used by store clerks to record the daily sales transactions of a general store that was located in Loudoun County, Virginia, and operated by an unidentified merchant. This book is organized in the manner of a typical daybook, and covers the period of April 30, 1839 through April 23, 1840. This accounting record contains approximately 252 pages of sales entries, with an average of 19 sales transactions recorded on each page, for a total of approximately 4,788 sales transactions.

Relevant sales transactions involving housewares during that time period are itemized below in a manner similar to the way the store clerks recorded them in the *Daybook*. The sales of housewares listed below total to just 139 sales transactions out of that total of approximately 4,788, or approximately three percent of the total sales transactions in the daybook. The pricing information is listed primarily in dollars and cents.

The customers listed in this daybook include a number of persons who lived in the area of Neersville, in the Loudoun Valley, and a number of those customers were neighbors of the Demory family. However, there is no mention of the Demory name in this 1839-1840 *Daybook*.

<u>Date</u> 5/8/1839	<u>Customer</u> Jonathan Laverner Dp Elizabeth			
	<u>Items Purchased</u> 4 milk pots	.12 2	<u>Prices</u> \$.50	
5/8/1839	Wm. Piggot Dp daughter 2 doz. L. plates	1.50	.75	
5/10/1839	Nancy Hamilton Dp Malinda 2 Tin Cups	.06 3	.12 2	
5/10/1839	Isaac Vandevanter Dp self 3 Milk Crocks 3 do. do.	.18 3 .12 2	.56 2 .37 2	
5/14/1839	Mary Clowes Dp self 1 doz. L. P. plates 1 cedar bucket		1.62 2 .62 2	

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5/15/1839	Mahlon White Dp self 1 doz. L. plates		1.50
5/15/1839	David Carr Dp self 3 milk pots 3 do. do.	.18 3 .12 3	.56 3 .37 3
5/23/1839	W. Vandevanter Dp 4 milk pots	.12 2	.50
5/25/1839	Isaac Hage Dp 4 milk crocks	.18 3	.75
6/3/1839	Mary Clowes Dp self 2 Bowls	.18 3	.37 2
6/3/1839	George Grines Dp wife 1 Liverpool Tea Pot 1 Do. Sugar bowl 1 Do. Cream Jug 1 Black Tea Pot		.62 2 .56 2 .31 2 .31 2
6/27/1839	Jonathan Lawrence Dp self 1 Earthen Dish		.12 2
6/28/1839	<ul> <li>A. H. Clark Dp wife</li> <li>1 pr L. teapots</li> <li>1 set C &amp; saucers</li> <li>4 bowls</li> <li>1 Stone Jug</li> <li>1 Tin Bucket</li> <li>2 do. Cups</li> </ul>	.06 .06 3	1.12 2 .37 2 .24 .18 2 .43 2 .12 2
6/28/1839	Jonathan Laverner Dp self 1 Set pewter plates		1.50
6/28/1839	James D. Love Dp sister 1 Earthen Dish 1 Tin pan		.06 3 .18 3
7/1/1839	C. Vandevanter Dp self 6 tin cups Pitcher	.05	.30 .62 3
7/1/1839	John Dodd Dp Lucinda 1 Tin bucket		.50

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	1 do. pan 1 do. do. 2 do. cups 4 Tumblers 1 L. Pitcher	.05	.22 .17 .10 .50 .75
7/1/1839	David H. Brom Dp wife 1 Set plates		.43
7/2/1839	Jonathan Laverner Dp self 1 Coffee pot		.50 3
7/2/1839	Mr. H. French Dp self 2 Milk pots	.18 3	.37 2
7/2/1839	E. C. Braden Dp self 2 doz. plates 2 vegetable plates	.43 :	.43 3 .87 2
7/6/1839	Smith Gregg Dp self 2 tin cups		.10
7/8/1839	Eli Janney Dp Lydia 4 Tin cups	.05	.20
7/8/1839	George Grimes Dp Sarah Lav 1 set C. cups & saucers	erner	.31 3
7/13/1839	John Brown Dp self 1 Stone pan 1 Earthen pot 1 do. do. 1 Tin pan		.31 3 .18 3 .12 3 .31 3
7/17/1839	Thomas M. Hart Dp self 1 Gal. jug		.31 3
7/19/1839	Mariah Brown Dp David 2 Milk pots	.12	.25
7/20/1839	David Keece Dp Eliza 1 L. Plate 1 C. do. 2 large Blue saucers		.10 .04 .12 2
7/22/1839	Isaac Hogue Dp self & wife 5 soup plates 2 small do.	.06 .04	.30 .08

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	1 Small Pitcher 2 Mugs 1 Tin pepper box	.06 3	.20 .12 2 .06 3
7/22/1839	Isaac Vandevanter Dp Means 1 2 Gal. jug		.42
7/25/1839	Mary Clowes Dp self 1 wash bowl & Pitcher		1.37 2
7/25/1839	John Haily Dp self 2 Stone Jars	.31 3	. <b>62</b> 2
7/26/1839	Elizabeth Burke Dp Miss Houg 2 Stone Jars 1 Coffee Pot	gh .25	.50 .40 .18 :
	1 Tin pan 2 do. cups 1 pepper box 1 C. dish	.05	.10 .06 3 .22
	1 do. do. 4 Tumblers	.06 3	.17 .25
7/26/1839	George Grimes Dp self knives & forks 4 Tin Cups	.05	1.00 .20
7/27/1839	Elisha Janney Dp Sarah 2 Tumblers 2 do. 2 Wine Glasses	.12 2 .08 .09	.25 .16 .18
8/5/1839	Mary Birdsol Dp daughter 2 Butter plates	.04	.08
8/8/1839	Mary Clowes Dp order 1 Half set china 2 teapots		3.50 1.00
8/12/1839	James Pairpont Dp self & wife 2 Tumblers	.06 3	.12 2
8/14/1839	John Dodd Dp self & Lucinda 1 Stone Jar 1 L. P. pitcher		.18 2 .75
8/22/1839	Gabriel Vandevanter Dp 1 Milk pan		.18 :

8/28/1839	David Carr Dp self 12 Pewter plates 1 Tin pan	.12 2		1.50 .37 2
8/30/1839	Absalom Beam Dp wife 1 Set C & Saucers 1 Set tea spoons			.31 3 .62 2
9/9/1839	John Haely Dp self 1 Copper kettle			3.00
9/9/1839	Isaac Vandevanter Dp 2 Tin Pans 1 Jug	.31 3		.62 2 .50
9/11/1839	Isaac Vandevanter Dp 1 Carving knife & fork			<b>.87</b> 2
9/13/1839	Isaac Vandevanter Dp 1 Dish 2 do. 2 tumblers 1 Common do. 1 teapot	.16 2		.25 .33 .50 .12 2 .75
9/14/1839	Elizabeth Hatch Dp self 2 doz. C. Plates		<b>.31</b> 3	
9/17/1839	Harrison Cummins Dp wife 2 doz. table spoons			.37 2
9/17/1839	Wm. Laverner Dp son 1 milk pot			.12 2
10/3/1839	Thomas Cross Dr. calf			
	Thomas Gregg Dp self 1 Gal. jug			.31 3
10/17/1839				.31 3 .20
10/19/1839	1 Gal. jug Jonathan Laverner Dp self 1 Stone Jar James McFrame Dp self 2 doz. plates	.87 2		
	1 Gal. jug Jonathan Laverner Dp self 1 Stone Jar James McFrame Dp self	.87 2 .12 2		.20

	3 do. do. 3 do. do.	.08 .06		554 .24 .18
10/22/1839	David Brown Dp wife : doz. Plates 1 Set Cups & Saucers 4 Bowls	.06 3		.50 .31 3 .25 3
10/23/1839	Harrison Cummins Dp wife 2 Small plates			.06 2
10/25/1839	Harrison Cummins Dp Gila 4 Bowls	.08		.32
10/25/1839	Jonah Sands Dp wife2 doz. C. Plates.62 2		.31 3	
10/28/1839	<ul><li>R. C. Braden Dp wife</li><li>1 Set Iron Spoons</li><li>2 do. Tea do.</li></ul>	.25		.25 .12 2
10/29/1839	Wm. C. Brown Dp wife 4 Bowls	.08		.32
11/5/1839	Isaac Vandevanter Dp self 2 Stone pots 1 Earthen do. 1 do. do.	.31 3		.62 2 .18 3 .12 2
11/6/1839	John Dodd Dp Mary 1 Doz. L. P. Plates			1.25
11/6/1839	Jonah Nichols Dp wife 2 doz. L. P. Plates	1.25		.62 2
11/12/1839	G. Vandevanter Dp Harrison 20 C. Bowls	.08		1.60
11/15/1839	Nancy Laverner Dp Elizabeth 1 Set plates			.62 2
11/16/1839	David Carr Dp wife 2 Sets knives & forks	1.50		3.00
11/16/1839	Mrs. Anderson Dp self 1 Coffee pot			.37 2

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11/22/1839	Wm. Laverner Dp self 1 Tin cup		.06 3
12/4/1839	Mary Love Dp self 1 Set knifes & forks		2.00
12/6/1839	Thomas Hatcher Dp [illegible] 1 tea kettle		1.75
12/9/1839	James M. McFrame Dp self 1 Set C. Cups & saucers		.31 2
12/13/1839	Mary Love Dp self 1 set knives & forks returned		npl
12/19/1839	Thomas Hatch Dp self 1 Tea kettle		.81 3
1/3/1840	Gibson [illegible] Dp 3 2 Gal. Stone Jars	.20	.60
1/4/1840	Isaac Hoge Dp self & wife 1 Dish 1 do. 1 Tin Pan 2 Bowls	.06	.50 .17 .20 .12
1/8/1840	Isaac Vandevanter Dp wife 2 Liverpool Dish	. <b>62</b> 2	1.25
1/15/1840	John Laverner Dp self 1 Tea kettle		<b>.68</b> 3
1/27/1840	Eli Janney Dp John Lee 1 Tea pot		.20
3/1/1840	Eliza Beatz Dp self 1 Set China cups & saucers 1 do. common do. do.		1.00 .31 3
4/23/1840	Wm. Brown Dp [illegible] 2 milk pots 2 do. do.		.33 .37 2

[End of pertinent entries in period of 1839-1840.]

O. Winchester, Shenandoah County, Virginia Store Operated by David Barrett, 1839-1843.

*Source*: Winchester, Shenandoah County, Virginia Store Operated by David Barrett; *Daybook*, January 1839-October 1843; Accession No. 1404 THL, Handley Regional Library, Winchester-Frederick County Historical Society, Winchester, Virginia.

This *Daybook* was used by store clerks to record the daily sales transactions of a general store that was located in Winchester, Shenandoah County, Virginia, and operated by David Barrett. This book is organized in the manner of a typical daybook. This accounting record contains approximately 297 pages of sales entries, with an average of 22 sales transactions recorded on each page, for a total of approximately 6,534 total sales transactions.

Relevant sales transactions involving housewares during that time period are itemized below in a manner similar to the way the store clerks recorded them in the *Daybook*. The sales of housewares listed below total to just 60 sales transactions out of that total of approximately 6,534, or approximately one percent of the total sales transactions in the daybook. The pricing information is listed primarily in dollars and cents, with occasional references to pounds, shillings and pence.

<u>Date</u> 1/22/1839	<u>Customer</u> Caleb Mercer D		
	<i>Items Purchased</i> 1 sett of Black teas 1 sett of do. plates 1 pitcher		<u>Prices</u> \$.62 2 .62 2 .50
2/1/1839	George L. Cochran D 1 small mug		.06 2
2/11/1839	Jacob Carper D 1 pitcher	1/~	.17
4/25/1839	H. McDaniel D 2 Doz Tumblers	.75	.37 2
7/9/1839	Wm. McHeldon D 1 crock	.10	.10
9/10/1839	Miss Rachel White D 1 sett chiny teas cracked		.62 2
10/8/1839	George L. Cochran D 3 crocks	.06 3	.18 :

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10/26/1839	William McHeldin D 1 crock		.06 3
11/15/1839	Mr. Copenhaven, Sr. D 2 Large Dishes (cracked)		.62 2
12/25/1839	L. Bell D 2 chiney mugs		.50
1/13/1840	Nathan Shearen D 2 Doz painted plates 1 sett common teas		.62 2 .31 3
1/27/1840	Isaac White D 1 pitcher 4 tin cups	.50 .06 3	.50 .25
2/3//1840	John P. Reede D 1 crock	.10	.10
2/13/1840	Conrad Copenhaven D 1 jug	1/~	ntpl
5/16/1840	Thomas Barrett D 1 sett Blue plates		.50
6/20/1840	Eli Hicks D 2 doz tumblers	1.00	.50
6/20/1840	Christopher Boneutter D 2 gal. jug	1/~	.17
7/9/1840	Mrs. Wallen D Bake pans bot at Mercers		.57
7/18/1840	S. Bell D 1 jug broaken	.10	ntpl
7/18/1840	Jacob Carper D 1 copper kettle bot at Mercers		2.12 2
7/21/1840	Solomon Taylor D 1 jug	1/~	.17
7/30/1840	Charles Hardy D 2 Bowls	.10	.20
8/26/1840	Jacob Carper D		

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	3 crocks 3 do.	.10 /16	.30 .25
10/23/1840	Nathan Shearer D 1 set Liver pool teas		. <b>62</b> 2
11/25/1840	Mrs. Beatley D 1 picher		.31 2
1/16/1841	Samuel Bell D 1 jug		.12 2
3/23/1841	John Crockwell D 2 Bowls	.10	.20
4/19/1841	Thomas Foster D 2 tumblers	.06 3	.12 2
6/1/1841	Thomas Foster D 1 sett plates 1 sett chiney teas 2 butter plates 2 crocks		.62 2 .87 2 .12 2 .13 2
6/23/1841	Mrs. Tapp D 1 sett of teas		.25
6/26/1841	Catharine King D 1 tumbler		.06 3
7/5/1841	M. B. Copenhaven D 3 tumblers 1 soope Boal		.20 .37 2
7/10/1841	Samuel Bell D 1 qt jug		.12 2
8/3/1841	Wm. Cane D 1 sett teas		.25
8/7/1841	Wm. Cane D 1 set plates		. <b>62</b> 2
8/17/1841	Isaac White D 1 sett plates 1 picher 1 sett common teas	2/~ 2/~	.33 2 .33 2 .25

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8/31/1841	Asa Nokes D 1 mug	.06 3	.06 3
9/4/1841	Thomas Foster D 1 picher		.25
9/9/1841	Thomas Foster D 2 crocks 1 do.	.06 3 /6	.12 2 .08
9/22/1841	Thomas Foster D 3 crocks	.10	.30
10/16/1841	John Jenkins D 2 doz. Plates 2 doz do.	.62 2 .56 3	1.25 1.12 2
11/13/1841	William Lebrite Sr. D 4 crocks	.10	.40
11/24/1841	Elizabeth Conrad D 1 Sett chiney teas		<b>.87</b> 2
12/24/1841	Thomas Foster D 2 tumblers		.12 2
1/28/1842	Charles Harday D 1 dish	1/6	ntpl
1/27/1842	William Gross D 1 set plates 1 set do.	3/9 1/6	.62 2 .25

[End of pertinent entries in period of January 1839 through October 1843.]

# P. Hatcherville, Fauquier County, Virginia Store Operated by an Unidentified Merchant, 1841-1849.

Source: Hatcherville, Fauquier County, Virginia Store Operated by an Unidentified Merchant; *Account Book*, 1841-1849; Manuscript Collection, Accession No. Mss 5:3 UN3:13, Virginia Historical Society, Richmond, Virginia.

This *Account Book* was used to record the daily sales transactions of a general store that was located in Hatcherville, Fauquier County, Virginia, and operated by a merchant who is not identified in the records. This accounting record, which covers sales

in the period of 1841 through 1849, contains approximately 24 pages of sales records, with an average of 18 sales transactions recorded on each page, for a total of approximately 448 sales transactions in that period.

Although this merchandise operation sold an array of fabrics, clothing, groceries and livestock, only two sales transactions involving housewares pertinent to my survey occurred during this time period: on May 1, 1842, William Glasscock purchased "1/2 Doz. German silver tea spoons" for \$1.38 : and "1 coffee pott" for \$.50.

### Q. Strasbourg, Shenandoah County, Virginia Store Operated by Strickley's & Company, 1842-1843.

*Source*: Strasbourg, Shenandoah County, Virginia Store Operated by Strickley's & Company; *Daybook*, April 5, 1842 to November 18, 1843; Business Records Collection, No. 22121 f29, Library of Virginia, Richmond, Virginia.

This *Daybook* was used by store clerks to record the daily sales transactions of a general store operated by Stickley's & Company in Strasbourg, Shenandoah County, Virginia, for the period of August, 1842 through November, 1843. This book contains approximately 720 pages of sales entries, with an average of 24 sales transactions recorded on each page, for a total of 17,280 sales transactions. I examined one year of entries in detail, from April 5, 1842 through April 5, 1843, which were recorded on 462 pages, for a total of 11,088 sale transactions in that period.

Relevant sales transactions involving housewares during that time period are itemized below in a manner similar to the way the store clerks recorded them in the *Daybook*. The sales of housewares listed below total to just 141 sales transactions out of that total of approximately 11,088, or approximately one percent of the total sales transactions in the daybook. The pricing information listed includes mixed references to pounds, shilling and pence, and to dollars and cents.

<u>Date</u> 4/14/1842	<u>Customer</u> Abraham Burgess Dp self		
	<u>Items Purchased</u> 4 Tumblers	/9	<u>Prices</u> \$.50
5/2/1842	Lorenzo Groves Dp self		
	3 Tumblers	.10	.30
	3 do.	/6	.25
5/9/1842	Thomas J. Miller Dp Book 1 Tin Wash basin		.25
5/12/1842	Lorenzo Groves Dp son		
	1 Decanter		1.22
	1 Do.		.50
5/13/1842	Thomas A. Hopewell Dp C. V	Vilson	
	1 Tin Pan	1/6	.25
	1 Dish	2/~	.34

5/14/1842	Thomas A. Hopewell Dp C. 1 Tin pan	Wilson 1/6	.25
	1 Dish	2/~	.34
5/17/1842	Reuben A. Bird Dp 1 sets knives & forks		.75
5/23/1842	William S. Newell Dp Mrs. 3 1 Large Dish 1 Large Do. 1 Deep do. 1 do. do.	Somner	.75 1.22 .20 1.22
5/27/1842	Mary Cooper Dp Daughter 2 Liverpool Bowls 1 Sets cups & saucers		.25 .19
6/2/1842	David Stickely Dp daughter 1 Pitcher 1 Liverpool Bowl	/9	.37 2 .50
6/3/1842	Henry Groves Dp Brother 1 doz Liverpool plates		1.50
6/4/1842	Henry Rosenbarger Dp self 1 Sets Cups & Saucers		.19
6/9/1842	Abraham Crabill Dp son 2 Large Bowls 6 small do. 2 Dishes 2 do.	1/1 2 /6 1/3 /9	.37 2 .50 .40 .25
6/10/1842	William Bird Dp self 1 Large Bowl		.19
6/17/1842	James Stickley Dp self 1 Sets plates 2 Veg Dishes 2 Butter plates	1/6 /4 2	.42 .50 .12 2
	<ul><li>2 Stone China Dishes</li><li>3 Bowls</li></ul>	2/ /6	.67 .25
6/18/1842	John Bragg Dp wife 1 Sets knives & forks		1.50

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	1 do. Cups & Saucers 1 do. Cup plates		.50 .31 2
	2 plates	/4 2	.12 2
6/21/1842	Abraham Burgess Dp Order 1 Sets cups & saucers 4 Liverpool Bowls	/9	.19 .50
6/22/1842	William S. Newell Dp self 6 Bowls	/4 2	.37 2
6/23/1842	Samuel Hendrick Dp wife 1 doz plates 6 Tumblers	/9	.84 .75
6/24/1842	John Utz Dp order 1 sets cups & saucers 1 do. Plates 1 Deep Dish 4 do. Plates	7	.19 .37 2 .25 .28
6/25/1842	Amos Strickley Dp Brother 1 Sets Cups & Saucers		.19
6/25/1842	Thomas J. Miller Dp self 6 tumblers	/9	.75
6/29/1842	George M. Rinker Dp self 2 tumblers	/4 2	.12 2
6/29/1842	Samuel Hendrick Dp wife 1 sets knives & forks		.75
6/29/1842	James Stickley Dp self 1 Sets Cups & Saucers 1 do. tea spoons		.19 .19
6/29/1842	John Downing Dp self 1 Pitcher		.34
6/29/1842	William Sounes Dp self 3 Tumblers	.10	.30
6/30/1842	Sarah McComb Dp Girl 1 Tin Bucket		1.22
7/9/1842	John Downing Dp self 1 Sets cups & saucers		.50

7/13/1842	David Stickley Dp Daughter 1 Large Dish 2 do. Dishes 1 Sets Plates	3/9	1.00 1.25 .75
7/15/1842	Philip Byers Dp Daughter 2 Large Dishes 2 do. do. 1 Bucket 2 Mugs	31 3 1/6 /9	1.22 .50 .50 .25
7/18/1842	James Robinson Dp self 1 Tea Pot		.25
7/19/1842	Philip Miller Dp wife 3 small plates		.12 2
7/20/1842	Isaac Funkhouser Dp wife 1 Bowl		.10
7/21/1842	Mary Cooper Dp Daughter 1 white Pitcher & Basin		1.22
7/21/1845	John H. Souney Dp wife and se 1 sets plates 1 butter plate	lf	.42 .06 2
7/23/1842	Isaac Hern Dp Order 1 Sets tea spoons		.17
7/30/1842	Strathern Moore Dp self 6 tumblers	/9	.75
7/30/1842	William Langh Dp self 1 Mug		.08 2
8/2/1842	Marcus C. Richardson Dp wife 1 Tin Pan 2 Mugs	/9	.34 .25
8/2/1842	Samuel Baker Dp wife 1 sets cups & saucers		.50
8/10/1842	Thomas D. Miller Dp wife 3 Mugs	/9	.37 2
8/18/1842	Robert Bowman Dpself		

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	1 Chamber [pot] 1 Liverpool Tea pot		.34 .75
8/22/1842	James Fitzsimmons Dp self 1 sets tea spoons		.19
8/22/1842	Joseph S. Ritenour Dp self 6 Tumblers 2 Dishes	10 1/6	.60 .50
9/10/1842	Joseph S. Ritenour Dp self 1 Pitcher		.25
9/10/1842	Sarah McComb Dp self 1 sets small plates 3 tumblers 1 do.	/6	.50 .25 .06 2
9/12/1842	Joseph S. Ritenour Dp self 1 Dish		.25
9/17/1842	Philip Byers Dp wife 2 Liverpool Dishes	6/	2.00
9/21/1842	Marcus C. Richardson Dp son 1 Tin Basin		.25
9/28/1842	Isaac Bowman Dp wife 2 Tumblers	/9	ntpl
9/30/1842	Philip Byers Dp Boy 2 Wash Bowls		<b>.56</b> 3
10/9/1842	John Stickley Dp wife 1 Sets cups & saucers		.25
10/10/1842	Samuel Baker Dp wife 4 Tumblers	10	.40
10/21/1842	Samuel Kindrick Dp 5 Tumblers	/9	. <b>62</b> 2
10/31/1842	David Stickley Dp son David 1 sets tea spoons		.17
11/4/1842	Daniel Selser Dp self 1 sets cups & saucers		.25

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11/4/1842	Wright Galewood Dp wife	
	1 Dish	.37 2

			567
	1 sets plates 1 sets cups & saucers		.34 .25
11/4/1842	Philip Byers Dp self 18 Tumblers	1/6	4.50
11/5/1842	Charles B. Bayly Dp self 2 Butter plates	/4 2	.12 2
11/5/1842	Mrs. Daniel Everly Dp book 1 Mug		.08 2
11/11/1842	Isaac Hern Dp wife 4 Butter plates	/4 2	.25
11/12/1842	Leonard Barthes Dp wife 1 sets cups & saucers		.50
11/12/1842	Charles B. Bayly Dp self 1 sets cups & saucers 1 sets plates		.62 2 .34
11/15/1842	Peter Hinkins Dp wife 1 sets plates 1 Bowl @ .10, 1 do. @ /6		.34 .18 2
11/19/1842	William Bain Dp wife 1 Dish 1 Do. 1 Do.	2/3 1/12 /9	.37 2 .19 .12 2
11/23/1842	Isaac S. Bowman Dp self 12 Cut glass Tumblers		5.50
11/26/1842	Cyrus Spingler Dp Redman 1 Chamber pot		.34
11/26/1842	Abraham Pilman Dp wife 1 Sets Cups & saucers 1 cream jug		1.22 .10
12/12/1842	Robert Bowman Dp self 1 Tin dipper		.12 2
12/23/1842	Philip Byers Dp self 1 sets plates		.37 2

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12/27/1842	Philip P. Swarb Dp self 1 sets spoons		1.22
12/30/1842	Henry Artz Dp wife 2 Dishes 2 Glass Dishes	2/ /9	.67 .25
1/4/1843	Amos B. Spengler Dp self 1 Cream jug 1 Set knives & forks 1 do. plates		.10 1.00 .34
1/9/1843	Widow Bowman Dp self 2 plates	/4 2	.12 2
1/19/1843	Estate of Chancy Galewood Cr 1 sets plates [credit for plates purchased by		.75
1/23/1843	John C. Stenson Dp self 1 sets cups & plates		.31 3
2/11/1843	John Stoven SH Dp self 9 plates for		. <b>62</b> 2
2/18/1843	James Fitzsimmons Dp self 1 Tumbler		<b>.08</b> 2
2/21/1843	Thomas J. Miller Dp self 1 tin pan 3 Tumblers	/6	.25 .25
2/21/1843	Samuel Baker Dp wife 1 sets plates	2/~	ntpl
2/23/1843	Mary Kagy Dp self 2 Glass Tumblers	1/6	.50
2/23/1843	Hamilton Newman Dp self 1 Sets cups & saucers 5 Liverpool plates for		.62 2 .62 2
3/1/1843	Philip Swarb Dp self 1 Frying pan 6 2 lb	10	.65
3/10/1843	Joseph Kellar Dp self 1 Dish 1 Sets cups & saucers		.29 .25

3/14/1843	John R. Mourey Dp self		
	1 sets cups & saucers		.62 2
	1 do. plates		.31 3
	2 mugs	10	.20
	2 do.	/6	.17
	1 Sets cup plates		.31 3
3/18/1843	William Redfern Dp self		
	1 Tea pot		.62 2
3/24/1843	Daniel Setson Dp R. Souner		
	1 Sets tea spoons		.25
	[End of pertinent entries in this Daybook. The last recorded sale in th daybook occurred on 4/5/1843.]		

## **R.** Loudoun County, Virginia Store Operated by an Unidentified Merchant, 1843-1850.

*Source*: Loudoun County, Virginia Store Operated by an Unidentified Merchant; *Daybook*, 1843-1850; Manuscript Collection, Accession No. Mss. 9096-cf, Special Collections Department, Alderman Library, University of Virginia, Charlottesville, Virginia.

This *Daybook* was used by store clerks to record the daily sales transactions of a general store that was located in Loudoun County, Virginia, and operated by an unidentified merchant. This book is organized in the manner of a typical daybook, and covers the period of 1843 through 1850. This accounting record contains approximately 386 pages of sales entries, with an average of 9 sales transactions recorded on each page, for a total of approximately 3,474 sales transactions.

Relevant sales transactions involving housewares during that time period are itemized below in a manner similar to the way the store clerks recorded them in the *Daybook*. Notably, there was only one such sales transaction recorded in the period of 1843-1849, while a greater number were recorded over just a few days in 1850. The sales of housewares listed below for 1843-1850 total to just 121 sales transactions out of that total of approximately 3,474, or approximately three percent of the total sales transactions in the daybook. The pricing information is listed primarily in dollars and cents.

The customers listed in this daybook include a number of persons who lived in the area of Neersville, in the Loudoun Valley, and a number of those customers were neighbors of the Demory family. However, there is no mention of the Demory name in this 1843-1850 *Daybook*.

<u>Date</u> 8/4/1843	<u>Customer</u> Dr. Albert Allder Dp		570
	<u>Items Purchased</u> coffee pot		<u>Prices</u> \$1.75
5/14/1850	Thomas Thrasher Dp 6 Plates		.10
5/14/1850	Joseph Arnold Dp 2 d. Plates 3 Bowls 20 Tumbler	.04 2 .02	.19 .13 2 .40
5/14/1850	George W. James Dp 2 doz. Plates		.37 2
5/14/1850	David Everhardt Dp 1 Frying Pan 1 Cream Mug		.25 .06 3
5/14/1850	W. B. Tabler Dp 1 Coffee Pot		.25
5/14/1850	John Ponoots Dp 1 F. Pan 1 Cream Mug 2 doz. Plates 1 set of Spoons 1 sugar bowl		.11 .07 .38 .32 2 .25
5/14/1850	Joel Hunt Dp 2 doz. Plates		.20
5/16/1850	Frederick Eamich Dp 6 Saucers 1 Set plates 1 ditto	.03 .17	ntpl .17 .13
5/20/1850	Lewis Arnold Dp 1 Stone Jar 1 Set Plates		.34 .17
5/20/1850	Jacob Snoots Dp 3 Plates 1 Sugar Bowl 1 Tea Pot	.03 2	.10 2 .01 .25

5/20/1850	Elizabeth Janney Dp		
	Pitcher		.06 3
	2 Oven & 12 PE		.25
	3 Pots		.50
	1 Scillet		.12 2
	1 Wash Kettle		.50
	Bake		.25
	Set knives & forks		.50
	Bucket		.12 2
	Pot Hooks, forks		.25
	Frying Pan		.12 2
	Set of Pots		.12 2
	Set of Stone Ware		.12 2
	Fork		.06 3
			.00 5
	1 Set of Tin Ware Lot of Stone Ware		.25
		.12	
	2 Copper kettles	.12	.25
5/20/1850	J. W. [last name illegible] Dp		
	1 Glass Jar		.16
	3 3 Empty Vials	.03	.10
	2 Glass Dishes	.13 2	.27
	1 S. Bowl		.25
	2 Large Dishes	.16	.32
	2 doz. Com. Plates		.31
5/20/1850	Asbury James Dp		
5/20/1850	3 Bowls	.03	.09
	5 DOWIS	.05	.09
5/20/1850	Amos Janney Dp		
	1 Dish		.12 2
5/20/1850	Jacob Householder Dp		
5/20/1050	5 Tin Cups	.03	.15
	2 Stone Jars	.03	.15
	2 Stone sais 2 Sets Plates	.24	.48
	1 Dish	.24	.48
	1 Tin Can		1.40
			1.40
5/20/1850	John H. White Dp		
	1 Set Knives & Forks		1.01
5/20/1850	William Comphen Dp		
	1 Set knives & forks		.64
	6 Plates		.18 :

5/20/1850	Joseph Baker Dp 1 Set Spoons 1 Brass Kettle		.32 .70
5/20/1850	J. C. Stoneburner Dp 6 Bowls	.03	.18
5/20/1850	S. H. Price Dp 2 Glass Dishes 2 doz. L. P. Plates	.13	.26 .45
5/21/1850	Peter Stoneburner Dp 2 doz. L. P. Plates		.50
5/21/1850	Catherine Hickman Dp 1 Coffee Pot 2 Strainers 1 Tin Bucket 1 China T. Pot	.08	.32 2 .16 .25 .30
5/21/1850	Mortimore Waltman Dp 1 L. P. Dish Green		<b>.77</b> 2
5/21/1850	John Mann, Jr. Dp 2 doz. L. P. Blue Plates 1 Tea Kettle & Bucket		.38 .22 2
5/21/1850	Peter Wirty, Jr. Dp 1 Set Cups & Saucers 5 Bowls	.05	.15 2 .25
5/21/1850	Miss E. Johnson Dp 2 Glass Dishes 2 Sugar Bowls	.20 .32	.40 .65
5/21/1850	Adam Householder Dp 9 Glass Cup Plates 2 Large Dishes 2 do. do. 1 Stone Jug	.03 2 .20 .25	.31 2 .40 .50 .10 2
5/21/1850	Michael Beamer Dp 2 Dishes	.11	.22
5/21/1850	Samuel Slater, Jr. Dp 1 Set Spoons		.53

5/21/1850	Amos Janney Dp 1 Brass Kettle		.37 2
5/21/1850	G. W. James Dp Stone Pitcher 6 Cham. Mugs 21 A. B. C. Plates 1 Small Glass	.13 .03	.13 .78 .63 .14
5/21/1850	John Bogar Dp 1 set G. S. Spoons 1 set Plates		.50 .45
5/21/1850	Elizabeth Klein Dp 2 Mugs	.03	.06
5/21/1850	Dr. Bronaugh Dp 1 Set S. Knives & forks 6 Glass Jars 1 Tin Can	.14	.06 3 .84 .12 2
5/21/1850	Amos Janney Dp 1 Coffee Pot		.22 2
5/21/1850	Dr. Edwards Dp 1 Set Knives & forks 1 Jar 1 Jar 1 Jar 1 Jar 1 Jar 1 Jar 1 Jar		1.55 .50 .15 .15 .15 .15 .15
5/21/1850	Wm. Campbell Dp 1 Coffee Boiler 1 Jug 3 Spoons		.26 .27 2 .15
5/21/1850	John Hamilton Dp 4 Sets Spoons	.16	.64
5/21/1850	Gideon Householder Dp 2 dz. Plates 1 Lot Tin Ware		.30 .20
5/21/1850	Joseph Mann Dp 1 Set Plates		.32 2

1 Cream Wilg.131 Set Plates.175/21/1850John Reise Dp1 Set Plates.17 21 do13		1 Tea Pot 1 Sugar Bowl 1 Cream Mug		574 .25 .16 .15
1 Set Plates .17 2				
	5/21/1850	John Reise Dp		
1 do13		1 500 1 14005		
		1 do.		.13
5/21/1850 J. P. Senooly Dp	5/21/1850	J. P. Senooly Dp		
7 2 Sets Plates .16 Set 1.20		7 2 Sets Plates	.16 Set	1.20
6 Butter Plates .02 ea .12		6 Butter Plates	.02 ea	.12
3 Cream Jugs .06 3 .19		3 Cream Jugs	.06 3	.19
1 Sugar Bowl .06 3 .06 3		1 Sugar Bowl	.06 3	.06 3
2 Tea Pots .10 .20		2 Tea Pots	.10	.20
1 Can .14		1 Can		.14
5/21/1850 George W. Janney Dp	5/21/1850	George W. Janney Dp		
2 Tea Pots .08 .16		2 Tea Pots	.08	.16
2 Jars & B. S15		2 Jars & B. S.		.15
5 Jars .10 .50		5 Jars	.10	.50
5/24/1850 Jesse Neer Dp	5/24/1850	Jesse Neer Dp		
1 Set Knives & forks .37 2		-		.37 2
2 Larg. Dishes .07 .14		2 Larg. Dishes	.07	.14

[End of pertinent entries in period of 1841-1850.]

## S. Strasbourg, Shenandoah County, Virginia Store Operated by Strickley's & Company, 1844-1845.

*Source*: Strasbourg, Shenandoah County, Virginia Store Operated by Strickley's & Company; *Daybook*, August 22, 1844 to June 30, 1845; Business Records Collection, No. 22121 f30, Library of Virginia, Richmond, Virginia.

This *Daybook* was used by store clerks to record the daily sales transactions of a general store operated by Stickley's & Company in Strasbourg, Shenandoah County, Virginia, for the period of August, 1844 through June, 1845. This accounting record contains approximately 314 pages of sales entries, with an average of 18 sales transactions recorded on each page, for a total of 5,652 total sales transactions.

Relevant sales transactions involving housewares during that time period are itemized below in a manner similar to the way the store clerks recorded them in the *Daybook*. The sales of housewares listed below total to just 102 sales transactions out of that total of approximately 5,652, or approximately two percent of the total sales

transactions in the daybook. The pricing information listed includes mixed references to pounds, shilling and pence, and to dollars and cents.

<u>Date</u> 8/27/1844	<u>Customer</u> Philip Baker Dp self		
	<u>Items Purchased</u> 1 Chamber pott	2/3	<u>Prices</u> \$.37 2
8/27/1844	John C. Stinson Dp self 1 sett cups & saucers 1 sett plates 2 bowls	1/6 1/10 2 /6	.25 .31 2 .17
8/30/1844	Philip [illegible] Dp self 1 sett plates		<b>.31</b> 3
9/3/1844	Washington M. Bowman Dp s 1 Large Kettle 73 lb	self /5	3.65
9/6/1844	Marcus C. Richardson Dp wif 1 Tin pan	e .19	ntpl
9/11/1844	Abraham Groves Dp self 1 sett cups & saucers	1/6	.25
9/17/1844	Daniel Selsen Dp self 2 dz wine glasses		1.22
9/24/1844	George Lindanwood Dp Mrs. 1 sett table spoons	Newbell Onter	. <b>62</b> 2
9/24/1844	Charles Houck Dp self 2 Bowls	[illeg.]	[illeg.]
9/27/1844	Amos Ridenour Dp self 1 Coffee Pot 1 wash basin 1 ilk strainer		1.22 .25 .19
9/31/1844	Joseph Walsh Dp wife 1 Large Dish 1 Deep Dish	2/9 1/9	.29 .29
9/31/1844	Geo. W. Bowman Dp Mrs. L. 1 sett knives & forks	Нирр	2.00

10/9/1844	Amos Ridenour Dp self 2 bowls	.10	.20
10/10/1844	William Paugh Dp wife 2 Bowls	4 2	.12 2
10/10/1844	Peter Hawkins Dp self 4 tumblers	/9	.50
10/11/1844	Joseph Walsh Dp self 1 Doz glasses		.50
10/18/1844	George Lindanwood Dp self 3 tin cups	4 2	.19
10/21/1844	George Somner Dp self 1 Set cup plates	1/1 2	.19
10/30/1844	John Stickley Dp wife 2 tin cups 1 tin dipper	4 2	.12 2 .17
10/31/1844	Mary Carper Dp 1 Carving knife & fork		<b>.87</b> 2
11/4/1844	Calhoun Everly Dp son 1 Sett Tea cups 5 Tumblers		.50 .31 3
11/6/1844	George M. Brinker Dp wife 1 Dish 1 do. 2 Liverpool Dishes 1 Large Bowl	2/~	.42 .62 2 .67 .42
11/6/1844	Mary Crasser Dp Bob 4 Chamber pots	2/~	1.34
11/7/1844	Mary Crasser 2 Chamber pots ret'd	2/~	ntpl
11/7/1844	William Groves Dp self 1 sett knives & forks 1 ditto tea spoons 1 ditto tea cups & saucers 1 ditto plates		.75 .25 .25 .34

11/9/1844	Isaac Herd Dp self 1 Pitcher for church 1 Glass Tumbler do.		.25 .12 2
11/9/1844	John Hutsinger Dp self 2 butter plates	.10	.20
11/9/1844	Lawrence Hammond Dp self 1 sett tea spoons		.25
11/10/1844	Auders Rude Dp self 6 Glass Tumblers	1/1 2	1.12 2
11/12/1844	Abraham Crabill Dp self 8 Bowls 2 Butter plates 1 snuff box	/6 /6	.50 .17 .25
11/14/1844	William Robinson Dp self 2 Bowls	.10	.20
11/21/1844	Samuel Moodey Dp self 2 butter plates 2 do. do.	.10 /6	.20 .17
11/25/1844	Amos R. Spengler Dp self 2 butter plates	/4 2	.12 2
11/29/1844	Charles Houck Dp wife 2 Bowls	/4 2	.12 2
11/29/1844	David Stickley Dp self 3 Dishes	1/~	.50
11/30/1844	George A. Houpp Dp self 2 Setts plates 1 Sett spoons	2/~ /9	. <b>67</b> .12 2
11/30/1844	Sally Davis Dp self 1 Bowl	/4 2	.06 2
12/1/1844	Joseph Eberton Dp self 4 tin cups 1 culander 1 tin bucket 1 wash basin	/4 2 3/ 3/9 1/9	.25 .50 .62 2 .29

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	<ol> <li>1 milk strainer</li> <li>1 Coffee Pot</li> <li>2 tumblers</li> <li>2 Tea cannisters</li> </ol>	1/1 2 3/9 /4 2 .10	.19 .62 2 .12 2 .20
12/5/1844	Frances Galewood Dp self 2 Tumblers	/4 2	.12 2
12/10/1844	John C. Stinson Dp self 1 Bowl 1 do.		.10 .18 2
12/10/1844	Samuel Moodey Dp self 2 plates	/4 2	.12 2
12/10/1844	Sarah E. Michell Dp self 1 tumbler		<b>.06</b> 3
12/11/1844	Samuel Baker Dp wife 1 set cups & saucers	3/~	.50
12/11/1844	Thomas J. Miller Dp self 1 Chamber pot	2/~	.34
12/16/1844	Thomas J. Miller Dp self 1 chamber pot	2/~	.34
12/18/1844	Joseph Eberton Dp self 1 sett tea spoons		.25
12/21/1844	Joseph Cook Dp J. Grant 1 Large Dish	2/9	.46
12/26/1844	Wright Galewood Dp self 2 Dishes	.10	.20
1/8/1845	Isaac Hern Dp wife 1 sett Tea cups & saucer 3 bowls 2 mugs	1/6 /6 /9	.25 .25 .25
1/10/1845	Isaac Bennes Dp self 1 Tea kettle		1.75
1/16/1845	Joseph Walsh Dp self 1 sett cups & saucers		.25

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1/30/1845	Philip Byers Dp self 1 Tumbler		.06 3
2/1/1845	Philip Byers Dp self 1 Dish		.29
2/17/1845	Amos Ridenour Dp self 1 sett plates	2/	.34
2/19/1845	Samuel Kerns Dp self 2 setts knives & forks	7/6	2.50
2/19/1845	Washington M. Bowman Dp 1 Tea Canister	Order 1/3	.21
2/26/1845	Charles Houck Dp Daniel Ilse 1 Bowl	er /4 2	.06 2
3/15/1845	Isaac Bennes Dp self 1 Mug		<b>.06</b> 2
4/8/1845	Frances Galewood Dp self 2 mugs 1 Bowl Cups & Saucers 2 Dishes 1 Do.	/4 2 /6 1/6 1/7 1/6	.12 2 .08 2 .25 .34 .25
4/9/1845	Samuel Stickley Dp self 1 milk strainer		.25
4/19/1845	Mary P. Lee Dp [illegible] 2 Nut Dishes 2 Doz Tumblers	2/3 9/~	.75 .75
4/26/1845	William Allisen Dp self 1 Tin bucket		.42
5/6/1845	Wright Galewood Dp self 1 Pitcher		.14
6/18/1845	Mary P. Lee Dp self 1 sett plates 1 sett do.	2/~ 1/6	.34 .25
6/24/1845	Abraham Meillen Dp self 2 sett plates	2/~	.17

6/24/1845	Thomas Jenkins Dp self 2 sett plates	2/~	.17
6/26/1845	Butler Robinson Dp self 2 Bowls	5	.10
6/26/1845	John Stickley Dp son 6 tumblers	/4 2	.37 2

[End of pertinent entries in this Daybook. The last recorded sale in this daybook occurred on 6/30/1845.]

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## T. New Market, Shenandoah County, Virginia Store Operated by John W. Rice, 1856-1866.

*Source*: New Market, Shenandoah County, Virginia Store Operated by John W. Rice; *Account Book*, 1856-1866; Manuscript Collection, Accession No. Mss 5:3 R3635:1, Virginia Historical Society, Richmond, Virginia.

This *Account Book* was used to record the daily sales transactions of a general store that was located in New Market, Shenandoah County, Virginia, and operated by merchant John W. Rice. Relevant portions of this book are organized in the manner of a daybook. This accounting record, which covers sales in the period of 1856 through 1866, contains approximately 230 pages of various accounting records. I reviewed the records for 2 years of merchandise sales, from January 1, 1857 through December 31, 1858 in detail, which were recorded on 58 pages of sales entries, with an average of 8 sales transactions recorded on each page, for a total of approximately 464 total sales transactions in that period.

Although this merchandise operation sold a broad array of groceries, hardware, fabrics, clothing and other products, and provided an array of services, including cooperage, mending shoes, renting pasturage, and hauling and land surveying, it recorded no sales transactions involving housewares pertinent to my survey during this time period.