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23 ment. In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this 22nd day of May one thousand seven hundred and ninety five. —

Signed sealed Published and Declared in presence of us.

Walter Cunningham — John Black (Seal)

Samuel Thompson

William Ewrin

Bourbon County January Court 1797.

This last will and Testament of John Black deceased was proven by the Oath of Walter Cunningham a witness thereto and ordered to be recorded. And on the motion of Martha Black, Robert Black and Alexander Black the Executors therein named, who made Oath thereto and together with John McKinney and William Black their securities entered into and acknowledged their Bond in the penalty of three thousand pounds conditioned agreeably to Law. Certificate is granted them for obtaining a probate thereof in due form. Liberty being reserved to William Black the other Executor named in the said Will to join in the probate when he may think proper.

Exd

Teste Hc: Arnold C.B.C.

Armstrongs Inv. By an Order of the December Court 1796 we the subscribers were appointed to appraise the personal estate of James Armstrong deceased, accordingly on the third day of January 1797 we Valued the following property viz

	£	S	D
To one old mare 8 [illegible] one [illegible] 13	10	0	0
To amount brought forward	10	0	0
To one Bowlow 18 one small ditto 17	3	1	0
To one Calf 12 two pot racks 19 one [illegible]	1	1	0
To 4 Chairs 8 one frying pan 6 one [illegible] 11	1	3	0
To one small kettle 8 one pot hook 6 a pair [illegible]	2	8	0
To 2 basons 18 one tin pot 9 12 pewter plates £4	2	2	0
To one bedstead £5 Books £4 one drawing knife 4/6	4	9	0
To one broad axe 8 one hm wedge 4 one hammer 3	0	11	0
To one log chain £1 one [illegible] 7 two clevis 3	1	5	0
To one Hoe 1/6 one hand saw 6 tongue chain £1/4	0	10	1
To one spade 10 plow & irons £2-14	2	15	0
To 2 set of Horse gears £2-8 one auger 10	2	9	0
To one bridle bit 4 one Mattock 9 one auger 1	0	11	0
	£39	10	10

Samuel Wilson
Ad. Tinsley } Apts.
Aaron Thomas

Jos. Armstrong Admins.

Bourbon County January Court 1797

This Inventory and appraisement of the estate of James Armstrong deceased was returned into Court and Ordered to be recorded.

Exd

Teste

Hc: Arnold C.B.C.

Armstrongs Sales. At a public sale held on the 8th of January 1797 the chose of the personal Estate of James Armstrong Decd was put to sale & sold to the highest bidder Except the articles were taken at the appraisement viz

	£	S	D
To one old mare 8 one [illegible] £1-3 one bow £3-2	1	13	11
To one steer 8 one bull 9 2 pot racks £1-10-6	2	18	6
To 4 chairs 8 one frying pan 7		15	0
		8	5