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Jas Black's Will

In the Name of God Amen I James Black of Bourbon County and state of Kentucky, being weak in body, but of perfect mind and memory, thanks be given unto God, therefore calling unto unto mind, that it is appointed for all men once to die, do make and ordain this my last will and Testament, that is to say, principally and first of all I give and Recommend my soul into the hands of God that give it and for my body I Recommend to the Earth to be buried in a Christian like and Decent manner. And as touching such worldly Estate wherewith it has pleased God to bless me in this life, I give devise and dispose of the same in the following manner and form. First I give and bequeath to Anne my wife the place whereon I now live together with the Standing stock of Cattle of all sorts With the household furniture farming utencials &c. the moveable Estate to be hers and her heirs for Ever, the land to remain hers During her widowhood, but if she at any time moves therefrom, then the said land or place I give & bequeath to my son Alexander, Together with that place whereof Elijah Thompson Leased off me. And I give and bequeath to my son John the two Negros Dick and Elly to him and his heirs forever together with my land that lys on his side of the spring branch now occupied by William Benefil, from the mouth of said branch to the head of my Cross line, and he the said John is to resign his claim on my side of said Branch running the same distance. And I give and bequeath to my son James forty pounds in Money. and I do hereby utterly Disallow Revoke & Disanul all and every other former Testaments Wills and legacies Bequests and Executors by me in any ways, before this time named willed and Bequeathed, Ratifying and confirming this and no other to be my last will and Testament. In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 29th day of November in the year of our lord 1797 Signed sealed published pronounced & declared, by me James Black, as my last will & Testament in presence of us the Subscribers.

James Black

James Hamilton

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Bourbon County March Court 1799.

Ex.d

This last Will and Testament of James Black deceased was proved by the Oath of James Hamilton and Isaac Tull Witnesses thereto and ordered to be recorded.

Test

Thos. Arnold C.B.C.

Jos. Kennedy's Inv.y

An Inventory of the Slaves and personal Estate of Joseph Kennedy Deceased.

	£	S	D
One Negro man Slave named Charles aged thirty five years	85	"	"
One Do. Do. named Robert aged twenty nine years	80	"	"
One Do. Do. named Will aged Seventeen years	85	"	"
Notes and Book accounts £6.14.4 One bay horse £25. One Gray Do. £20	51	14	4
One Brown Do. £12. One Do. Do. £18. One Sorrel mare £15.	45	"	"
One bay Do. £6. One Do. horse £12. One Do. Do. £6. One Gray Do. £3.	31	"	"
One Gray mare & Sorrel Colt £9. One brown mare £16. one sorrel horse colt £8. two spring Colts £9.	42	"	"
One red Cow £1.10 One Do. Do. £3.10 One brown Do. £2.10 Eight yearling Calves £9.12	17	2	"
Six spring Do. £2.14 One white Cow £4. One Cow £3.15 One Do. £3.10	18	19	"
One Brown Do. £3.15 One Do. Do. £3.10 One Do. Do. £3. One black & white Do. £2.15	13	"	"
Two Young Cows £4.10. One heifer £1.10. two steers £4 One bull £2.	12	"	"
Thirty eight head of Sheep £11.6. One waggon £6. one set of waggon gears £2.14	29	2	"
One wheat Fan £4. One Rifle Gun £3. Six hogs £5.7. Seven axes £2.6.6	10	13	6
Two Mattocks 16/. Three hay forks 6/. One bunch Carpenters Tools 16/.	2	2	"
Three Iron Weages 6/. One bunch Iron Utensals £1.10. two Shovels 14/.	2	7	6
One Cross cut saw £1. Four bells £1.4. One Sythe 3/. One Iron harrow £1.10	3	17	"
Three Ploughs £4.15 two pair fire dogs, Shovel & Tongs £2.2	6	17	"
One Jack screw £1.16 One Cutting box 16/. twelve head hogs £5.6.	8	2	"
Eight Do. £3.4 Fifteen Do. £2.13.6 One bed & furniture £10.	15	17	6
One Chest 9/. One Do. 7/6 One looking glass 7/. one French Musket £1.	2	3	6
Ten Chairs £1.11.6 One table 12/. three spinning wheels & Check reel £1.9.	4	8	6
Three Flat Irons 14/. two pair of steel yards £1. Stationary £3.13.6	5	8	6
One set money weights 7/6 One bed and Furniture £7.10	7	17	6
One Table £1.10 One bed & Furniture £6. one Looking Glass 4/6	7	14	6
Bedding Furniture £3.9. Mounting for drawers £4/	3	17	"
Boddy Clothes £3.15. One side saddle & Bridle £4.0.0	7	15	"
carried forward	£594	8	4

	£	S	D
Amount brought forward	594	8	4
Cupboard Furniture £4..16 three saddles £2..5. one bunch of tins 9/.	4	10	"
Pewter dishes Plates basons & spoons £4..11..6 five knives & 7 forks 3/.	4	14	6
One Tea Kettle 18/. two hemp hackles £1..10 one hand saw 7/6	2	15	6
Two Dutch Ovens 13/. two large Pots £2..8. two small Do. 9/..	3	12	"
Gridiron Skimmer fork & frying pan 16/6 two tin buckets 9/.	1	5	6
Two half bushels 6/. One large Kettle £1..10 nine sack bags £2..14	4	10	"
Two small piggins 2/. One loom & tackling £3 one broad axe 12/	3	14	"
Coffe Mill & Sausage Stuffer 3/. One Meal sifter 2/.	"	5	"
Six Sickles 15/. One pair of wool Shears 2/. two yards blue Cloth £2..8	3	5	"
Three & a half yards double milled Drab £4..7..6 £4..2 yds Cordroy £4..6..3	8	13	9
Eight yards black velvet £4.. five & a half yards Do. Do. £1..13	5	13	"
Five & a half yards Olive Do. £2..1..3. 6½ yards yellow Flannel £1..4..4½	3	5	7½
Two Duffel blankets £4.. 26½ yards Furniture Calico £5..14	6	14	"
One Dozen Spoons 9/. one pair of womans cotton Stockings 6/..	"	15	"
Three Crooked Combs 2/3 one Watts psalms 4/. one piece tape 3/..	"	9	3
Eleven & three fourth yards striped Nanken	2	7	"
Five stamped handkerchiefs (blue) £1. five Do. (red) 17/6	1	17	6
Nine yards Sattinett £2..18..6 one pair worsted Stocks 4/6	3	3	"
One pair Snuffers 1/6 five Combs and bases 5/..	"	6	6
One Dozen Buttons 3/. 4½ Dozen patent paper Do. 4/6		7	6
1⅓ Dozen Vest Do. 1/4 two Dozen Do. Do. 3/. 17 Do. Do. 1/5 1½ yds Calico 5/3	"	11	"
10½ yards Do. £1..5..7½ ¾ yard buff Casimier 12/. 36 hizels 4/..	2	1	7½
7 yards Calimanco £1..1. One Feathe bed £5..5	6	6	"
Six panes Glass 6/.. One pot rack 12/..	"	18	"
Thirty Bushels wheat £6.. Cash £2	8	"	"
	£608	5	7

The Administrators of Joseph Kennedy Deceased having produced a bond to us, upon Turner Lane for fifty two pounds ten Shillings it being executed by said Lane in consequence of a certain parcel of Land containing twenty six & one fourth acres which the said Deceased set apart unto said Lane for the express purpose of defraying the charges of educating his Children & there appears a pointed contract between the said Lane & the Deceased that the said Lane shall have regular annual offsets out of said Bond, as the charges of schooling became due, for the full term of five years after the date of said bond. We not knowing how to proceed in this cas leave it to the Decision of the Court

Alexander Brackenridge
Samuel Wright
Turner Lane

39. Bourbon County March Court 1799

Ex.d This Inventory of the estate of Joseph Kennedy Deceased was returned into Court & ordered to be recorded.

Teste
Tho. Arnold C.B.C.

settlem.t of A. Haydons estate

Agreable to an order of the Worshipful Court of Bourbon County to us directed we have proceeded to settle the following accounts April 9th one thousand seven hundred & ninety nine.

James Shannon Jr. Nehemiah Haydon Dr.

	£	S	D
April 2d 1798 To Inventory of Record	38	15	3
October 15th To Cash Recived of Joseph Downer	48	8	8
To Cash Received of John Houston	"	10	"
To Cash Received of Joseph Mitchell	4	10	"
To Cash Received of Peter Forgueran	"	11	3
	£92	15	2

Supra Cr.

By Clerks Note 13/9 By Sheriffs fees per William Morrow 6/9	1	9	6
August 21st 98 By Cunninghams Recept per tavern licence	2	"	"
April 27th 98 By Cash paid Robert Sconce for Barly	1	14	9
March 2d 1782 By One bond paid James Binnigin	20	"	"
October 2d 1795 By cash paid Nathan Williams per account	2	15	10½
March 12th 98 By Cash paid William Scott per account	1	13	4½
March 15th By twenty five bushels of barly at 3/. per bushel	3	15	"
By 30/. paid Joseph Downer £1..10. By cash paid Aumillar £52..11	53	10	11
	86	10	5

George Shortridge
John Metcalfe

Bourbon County April Court 1799

Ex.d This settlement of the accounts of the Estate of Nehemiah Haydon deceased with the administratrix was returned and being examined and allowed by the Court is ordered to be recorded.

Teste
Ts. Arnold C.B.C.

John Stokes Inventory

Then appraised by Samuel Fearn, William Bagley and Thomas Baird all the Personal Estate of John Stokes deceased, and the value thereof Estimated in Kentucky currency which Fearn, Bagley and Baird was appointed at last Bourbon June Court for the above mentioned purpose. this nineteenth day of July one thousand eight hundred.

	£	S	D
Six Cows and calves one bull one steer and one Heifer	24	19	"
One sow and twelve shoats £3,,3,, two mares and Colts £51,,	54	3	"
Two two year olds Coaltts £30,, two barr shear ploughs £4,,10	34	10	"
Three axes and 4 hoes £1,,19,, two augers one drawing knife & one chisel 9/,,	2	18	"
One Chest one table and seven chairs —	1	18	"
Twelve pewter platts two dishes and one bayson —	2	"	6
One set of Knives and forks and sundry Books —	1	7	"
Nine and a half yards of cloth £4,,5, three beads and furniture £20,,	24	5	"
One looking glass and one flat Iron — —	"	10	"
One loom and gears and womans saddle —	6	"	"
Sundry pot mettle £5,, one pair of iron traces and sythe 18/,,	5	18	"
One ten pound Bond to be paid in cattle which Bond is on William Brimberry — — —	10	"	"
Sixteen sheep at 8/, each £6,,8,, One mans saddle £2,,0,,0	8	8	"
Total amount	£176	7	"

Samuel Fearn
William Bagley
Thomas Baird

Bourbon County July Court 1800

Ex.d This Inventory and appraisment of the estate of John Stokes deceased was returned into Court and ordered to be recorded.

Teste

Tho: Arnold C.B.C.

Settlement Joseph Kennedy

In Obedience to an order from the worshipful Court of Bourbon County appointing us Commissioners to settle with the Administrators of Joseph Kennedy deceased we have thereupon proceeded, and do report as followeth (to wit)

	£	S	D
The amount total of the Inventory — — —	666	8	7
Debts paid by the administrators for which They have produced proper vouchers — —	78	9	11
Expences of Administration Taxes &c Proper vouchers produced — — — —	9	5	7
After the payment of all just Debts —	587	18	8
The Widows third of the nete estate —	195	19	6½
After deducting the Widows third —	391	19	1½
From which we deduct the Expences of Administration, and there resutlts — — —	382	13	6½

The neat Estate to be divided among the Legatees they being in number seven, a share is (after deducting £165 for the value of two slaves, and adding thereto £32,, 6,, 6 for the hire of said slaves for a year) a share we say is — — — — — — £35,, 14,, 3½

Given under our hands, this twenty eighth day of June one thousand eight hundred.

Alexander Brackenridge
John Hildreth

Bourbon County July Court 1800.

Ex.d This settlement of the administration accounts of the estate of Joseph Kennedy deceased was returned into Court and being examined is allowed and ordered to be recorded.

Teste

Tho: Arnold C.B.C.

Lears additional Inventy

Praisment the second of the Estate of Daniel Lear Deceased.

	£	S	D
To one saddle bags — — — — — — — —	"	4	6
To one pocket book — — — — — — —	"	"	9
To cash — — — — — — — — —	"	3	"
	£"	8	3

July twenty first one thousand eight hundred

James Shannon
Peter Schwartzwelder