

To one Jug
To one Lock
To one Drawing knife
To one Rat Trap
To one Note on Peter Sanders

£	s	d
0	6	6
0	6	0
0	3	1
0	2	0
10	00	0

the whole is £56 13 0

Given under our hands and seals this 3rd day
of April 1807

Elijah Rogers
Samuel Packwood
Samuel Smith

Barren County Court April County Court 1807

The foregoing Inventory and appraisement of the Estate
of Samuel James Deceased was returned into Court and
ordered to be Recorded

Test W. Logan clk

J. Hardwitch

Will

Exam.

In the Name of God Amen
I James Hardwitch of the County of Barren and
State of Kentucky being at this time in a low state of
health in body but of proper mind and memory taking
into consideration the uncertainty of life and the certainty
of Death have thought proper to make and ordain this my
last Will and Testament in manner and form following viz
And I give my immortal part to the Deity either
hoping for acceptance thro the great redeemer Jesus
and my body to be interred in decent Christian
manner at the discretion of my Executors herein after
mentioned— Secondly I give and bequeath to my
well beloved wife a Bonded mair now in my possession
and likewise to my well beloved Wife Betty that cow
and calf that is at Jacob Gibsons and likewise a bott
that borne of my Grey mare and I likewise give to my
beloved Wife that cow that is at James Whites her brother.
Thirdly I do give and bequeath my beloved Daughter Polly
Hardwitch one black mair and one year old bott and one
cow now at her uncles James Whites. Lastly I constitute
and appoint my beloved Wife Betty Executors and Lewis
Taulor Robert Denton Executors of this my last Will and
Testament In Testimony I have hereunto set
my hand and seal this twenty third day of March one

thousand Eight hundred and Eight and in the 33rd Year of the
Independence of the United States of America.

signed and sealed in the presence of

William ^{his} Hardwitch

John ^{mark} Peacock

Henry Peacock

James ^{his} Hardwitch
mark ^{mark} Peacock

Barren County Court November County Court 1808
The foregoing Writing purporting to be the last Will and Testament
of James Hardwitch was produced in Court and John Peacock
& Henry Peacock Subscribing Witnesses thereto being sworn
deposed & said that the said Writing for his last Will and that
they believe he was in his proper sense and memory when he
did it & thereupon the said Writing was ordered to be Recorded
as the true last Will & Testament of the said James Hardwitch
Deceased

Test W. Logan clk

Isaac Lowe

Will

Exam.

I Isaac Lowe of Barren County and State of Kentucky
do make and ordain this my last Will and Testament in the
form following To wit, first it is my will that the whole of my
estate after my Debts are paid, shall remain in the hands of
my wife Sally Lowe for the use and benefit of her and my Children
so long as she shall remain a Widow under the direction of my
Executors hereafter named. Secondly it is my Will that if my Wife
shall hereafter marry and my Executors shall think it will be to
the advantage of my Children for my Estate to remain in the
hands of my Wife after marriage and the proceeds thereof be
applied to the Education and benefit of my Children they
shall remain so until the youngest child shall
shall come to lawful age. But if any of my said Children
shall marry it is my Will that my Executors shall give them as
much of my personal Estate as in their opinion can be spared
from the support of the remaining part of the family to be
accounted for by them when a division of the whole of my
Estate shall take place. It is my Will that when my young-
est Child shall come to age that my Estate shall be equally
divided amongst my said Children reserving to my Wife
her third part her life time which third part shall be at
her Death divided equally amongst my legal Heirs It is
my Will that my Executors raise money out of my personal
Estate to pay the State price of the tract of land I

Exchanged to John Franklin serv and to get a grant and have a conveyance made to the said Franklin when a Patent Office I do hereby appoint Samuel Bell and William Logan Executors of this my last Will and Testament In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 15th day of March 1808

Attest
Thos. Dickenson
Matthias Laid

Isaac Lowe

Barren County Court August County Court 1808
The foregoing writing purporting to be the last Will & Testament of Isaac Lowe Deceased was produced in Court & Thomas Dickenson and Matthias Laid Witnesses thereto being sworn deposeth & saith that the said Isaac Lowe did in their presence deliver the said Writing for his Will and they believe him to be in his proper sense & memory and thereupon the said Writing was ordered to be Recorded as the ^{last} last Will and Testament of the said Isaac Lowe Deceased

Test Wt again clk

Inventory of
Estate of John Johnston
May the 28th day 1808 Agreeable to order of Court to us Directed being duly Sworn proceeded to value the Estate of John Johnston Deceased in the following manner

	Dollars	Cents
one Mare	36	00
one Horse	45	00
one Colt	20	00
one bill and collar	1	25
one Cow & yearling	4	00
one Cow & calf	10	00
one Cow & calf & calf	10	00
one three year old Heifer	4	00
eight head of hogs	14	00
One Negro Woman named Bet	300	00
One Negro Girl named Kate	260	00
One Negro Boy named Wiatt	200	00
One Negro boy named Samuel	152	50
One shovel plow	1	50
One ax	2	25

One shoe hammer	0	37 1/2
Three hoes	1	50
One pair harness & tug Traces 25 bits one set Double trees & Trons 13 1/2	1	62 1/2
One pot, Oven Skillet & hooks 4. 8 1/2 two Candles 75	5	62 1/2
One Bell collar 37 1/2 two Augers & Chisels 8 1/2	1	25
One drawing knife 75, one ax 50. One Lamp 25.	1	50
One pot hanger 25. Pottery 5. 50. One Jug 25. Tins 62 1/2.	6	62 1/2
Three pails one cooler & Washing tub 1-50 one looking Glass 25	1	75
Set of large Spools 3 1/2 four Books 16 1/2 One candle stick 12 1/2	2	12 1/2
One Mare saddle 5. 50. One pack saddle three stirrups pair horse shoes 6	6	12 1/2
Two Whets 2. 0. One Bottle 25. One Wire Sifter 1. 25	3	50
One Churn 50. Knives and forks 33 four Phials 33	1	16
One padlock Gimblett banister and brush	0	25
One feather bed and furniture	8	25
One feather bed and furniture	13	25
One bed and furniture 7. 00. One Iron Wedge 62 1/2	7	62 1/2
Total amount	1127	53 5.

James Whism
David Hardin
Stephen Howard

Barren County Court July County Court 1808
The foregoing Inventory and appraisement of the Estate of John Johnston Dec^d was returned into Court and Ordered to be Recorded

Teste Wt again clk

Agreeable to order of Court to us Directed we proceeded to value the Estate of John Johnston Deceased and to lay off the widow's dower agreeable to the property that she made choice of which is as followeth

	Dollars	Cents
one Negro Girl named Kate	260	00
one feather bed	7	25
one feather bed	14	00
one Heifer	35	00
one Mare	14	00
Eight head of hogs	2	00
two Whets	5	50
Pewter	8	00
one old Cow & yearling	0	13 6
one old Quat		

James Whism
Stephen Howard
David Hardin