

To balance due the estate

Pursuant to an order of the Jefferson County Court at their August Court 1826 we the undersigned commissioners therein appointed proceeded to adjust and settle the account of James Ryland one of the admrs of Samuel Hay die, and after examining his vouchers report the above account to be correct & find there is forty four dollars and sixty cents due the estate in the hands of said Ryland admr of said estate given under our hands this second day of October 1826.

Jefferson County 2d June Court 1828.

The foregoing settlement with the admr of Samuel Hay die was this day returned to court examined and ordered to be entered of record.

Attest Francis Holloway
Clerk for James H. Price

The administrators of David McKee Dec'd 1827 & 1828 account with estate

cash balance of S. Hay die at the including interest	\$ 800 "
" Cash of Elizabeth	70 "
" Cash of J. Brown \$25 in notes of the bank of New York worth at par	11 50
" Cash of of Patrick Watson	8 "
" Cash of Samuel McKee	27 16 1/2
" Cash of James Porter \$25 in notes of the Bank of New York	20 "
By cash paid charge against the	1006 66 2/3
" " " S. Hay die	265 "
" " " " S. Hay die	150 "
" " " " S. Hay die	420 25
" " " " S. Hay die	41 "
" " " " S. Hay die	65 "
" " " " S. Hay die	28 50
" " " " S. Hay die	41 "
" " " " S. Hay die	8 55 1/2
" " " " S. Hay die	10 "
" " " " S. Hay die	3 08
" " " " S. Hay die	2 58
" " " " S. Hay die	228 "
	1041 44 1/2

Deduct the paid value of one horse & one and a half which he will owe to have been given to Samuel Hay die at the estate charge amounting

\$1357 94 1/2

The undersigned commissioners appointed by the County Court of Jefferson County to settle with William Duncan & Maria McKee administrators of David McKee Dec'd find the administrators have received since since the 10th of March 1827 the time the last settlement was made the sum of

\$1006 66 2/3

and we also find they have disbursed in the same time the sum of

1252 74

245 35

from which it appears as per account that the administrators have disbursed the sum of \$245.35 more than they have received all which we beg leave to report this 16th day of June 1828.

Attest Duncan
Clerk for James H. Price

Jefferson County 2d June Court 1828

The foregoing settlement with the admr of David McKee was this day returned to court examined and ordered to be entered of record.

Attest James H. Price Clerk

Agreeable to an order of Jefferson County at the February term appointing us the undersigned notaries to settle with the admr of Samuel Hay die having examined the papers as follows

Amount of appraisement	\$246 11
Amount of claims against estate	106 00
Deduct the widows third	24 3 1/2
Leaves a balance	80 66 1/2
Cash paid by administrator for supporting children	59 25
Expenses bearing children in number from the death of the father until they were able to provide for themselves	250 00
	309 25
Balance due admr	247 81 1/2

Balance due admr given under our hands this 25th day of May 1828

Attest James H. Price Clerk
James H. Price Clerk
Em. B. B. B.

Jefferson County 2d June Court 1828

The foregoing settlement with the admr of Samuel Hay die was this day returned to court examined and ordered to be entered of record which is done.

Attest James H. Price Clerk

We the undersigned commissioners appointed by the Jefferson County Court to settle the accounts of the estate of Geo. Chrisman dec'd after having the same before us to make the following report, we find that the said estate has disbursed to Joseph Chrisman as trustee \$112.11 with interest

To Joseph Chrisman do	\$ 32.50
To Peter Executors see voucher	3 68 00
To Peter Executors do	4 25 00
To Geo. Milner fee bill	5 9 6 1/2
To J. P. Price do	6 24 1/2
To the same do	7 2 69
To the same	8 1 1/2
To John Spoon	9 10 1/2
	\$58 57 1/2

We find that he has received the sum of \$470.25 for the sale of negro Isaac &c

Attest James H. Price Clerk
James H. Price Clerk
Lewis Bayan

Jefferson County 2d June Court 1828

The foregoing settlement with the admr of Geo. Chrisman dec'd was this day returned to court examined and ordered to be entered of record which is done in my office.

Attest James H. Price Clerk by
Francis P. Holloway

Amount of Sale of the Estate of Samuel Hays decd sold at public
Sale the 18th day of October 1825

Samuel R. Offutt 1 lot of old Irons 112 ^{lb} @ 6 cts p. lb	\$ 6 72
1 hockle # 2. 30. 1 little wheel # 1 60 p. 1 Measurern sharnes # 40.	49 126
1 Ox yoke # 50. 10 cut 1 y 20 cts hump # 4. 70 p. cut. shat 20 y 20 cts	37 154
1 Waller 75 cts. 1 Dining Table # 2. 3 p. 1 Husband and furniture # 30	36 1
1 Cow 60 cts. 1 Small Table # 2. 1 Trunk # 1. 1 pot sack 9 shorn 20 cts	3 1
1 Skillet & boiler # 1. 1 Carpet # 3. 30. 1 lb of lard @ 20 cts p. lb	8 70
2 Red quills 80 p. 20. 1 Measur. Stand. 20 cts. 1 lot of plank 8 1/2 ft	14 314
1 Black Hay # 1. 20 cts. 1 Do White # 3. 1 pair and some 3 p. 1 pair small shat yoke	6 68
3 Corn # 20. 9 Bushels Buckwheat @ 2 cts. 1 Trunk # 2. 50	24 594
Denlow Offutt 1 lot old Irons 112 ^{lb} . 2 Whisky barrels 20 cts	9 34
1 pitel pork 20 cts. 3 old barrels 314. 1 lot of Irons 3 p	9 34
68 p. plank 78. 380 feet of # 1. 2 cts. 1 Trunk 60 cts. 1 Tea Kettle 100	2 746
1 lot hump. ambrette # 8. 75. 1 pigger & Tray 10 1/4. 1 Cuckitt 50 20 cts	8 934
1 Trivis 64 cts. 1 Black Hay # 9. 10 cts. 1 Do # 4. 6 cts. lot Barley 20 cts	13 50
James B. Ryland. 1 old saw 20 cts. 1 big wheel # 1. 41 1/2 cts. 1 ax 20 cts	3 164
1 Hand soap # 4. 50. 1 Red bedstead & furnitur # 26. 50 cts	34 00
Shovel & Tonges # 3. 20 cts. Looking Glass # 2. 50 cts. 1 sugar dish # 3. 50 cts	8 314
4 Books # 3. 1 Dining Table # 6. 1 big round fruit # 1. 50. 1 Trunk # 3	12 50
6 lb wool @ 60 cts p. lb. 1 copper boiler # 3. 20. 1 Sore # 4. 30 cts	48 20
1 Cow 60 cts. 10 3/4. 10 Bils bush potatoes @ 20 cts. 10 Bils do @ 14	14 244
3 piggins. Tray dish 80 # 1. 314. 20 lbs wool @ 25	14 04
5 pieces bed clothes # 18. 25. 1 pitel corn # 5. 12 cts. 1 glass & potash # 2. 18 1/2	58 314
Cham Crocks 10 # 1. 7 cts. 1 lot nails & 3 p. # 3. 1 Black Hay # 1. 25	41 122
1 Table 50 cts. Candle stick Snuffers 50 # 1. 60 cts	3 18 1/2
Samuel Offutt 1 pair Strachet 50 cts. 1 pot & cakes # 2. 75	3 314
James Hadley 1 big chain # 3. 75	2 934
Richard Young 1 Cow bar # 3. 50. 1 pair And. Irons # 7. 25.	8 75
15 pines of London glass @ 4 cts	1 27 1/2
James Brown 1 Round Stone 3 1/4	3 1/4
1 Desk and book Case # 17	17 00
John Jackson 1 old wheel. Van bucket & 2 p. the 100	122
John W. Miller 1 Sythe # 1. 50. Red clothes # 3. 35	1 622
1 Butt # 8. 1 Stee # 7. 20. 1 Hoies # 7. 8 p. 1 Blanket 1. 75	24 374
1 Blanket # 2. Covered # 3. 43 1/2	5 43 1/2
1 Barn Door 1 Shackle # 2. 12 cts. 190 feet plank @ 75 per bd	3 35
1 Small plow # 2. 50	2 50
Frederick Robt. 1 little wheel # 1. 25	1 33
Thomas Carr 1 little wheel 2. 30. cluvers # 1 pair 1 R. O.	3 50
Oliver Farra 1 Red 20. 1 Black Hay # 1. 25. 1 lot spools 3 p	1 934
Henry Marshall 1 Reg wheel 50 cts. 1 lot scathing # 3. 50	4 00
1 Tea Kettle # 1. 50. lot Black plank # 1. 50	3 00
Benjamin Long 1 old hoe & ax 68 p. 5 soap hooks 50	1 35
Hamilton Hethson 1 Shovel and mallets # 1. 75. ash plank 8	00
scathing @ 75 p. 10. 130 feet ^{new} scathing # 2. per 10 cures of iron in the fire	76
1 lot oak plank # 3. 50. 1 lot ^{new} scathing 3 p	10 60
1 lot Cherry and walnut plank 1165 feet @ 71 p. bd	

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James Annes 3 old Hoes 2d. 1 aa 50	1 00
Abraham Bruce 1 Tub Hoes 2d. 2 25	2 25
1 Black Day 7 37 1/2	7 37 1/2
George Haslow 1 aa 50. 1 bed bedstead & furniture 17 25	17 25
1 silver watch 6 37 1/2. 1 oven and pot 6 1/2	7 37 1/2
James McKim 1 bed bedstead 10 25. 1 barrel vinegar 1 1/2	16 2 1/2
6 uphol chairs 3 50. 1 Red and white Hoes 8 50	12 00
William Patterson 1 silver watch 7 1/2 covered 3 25	10 25
10 Hops 1 1/2	15 00
William Paulk 1 Red bedstead and furniture 16 75	16 75
James Bush 4 Hoes 1 75. 1 do 5 4	5 75
James Williams 1 lot Hoes 1 1/2	1 3 1/4
2 flat Irons 9 00 2 00	2 00
John E. Linn 2 pairs cloth 75 cts	3 75
John V. Spring 20 lbs lead 15 cts	2 60
Jonathan Dickerson 3 cloths 8 1/2 to hire of Negro Key 6 1/2	6 3 1/4
J. Kethrington 1 Leather 50 cts	3 0
Henry 1 Bauger 5 flat bottomed chairs 1 1/2	1 00
Falcon Higgins 1 Blanket 3 50	3 50
Edward Hewitt 1 pair shoes 2 50. 1 skin from 9 Hoes 1 1/2	3 62 1/2
1 Blanket 1 37 1/2. 1 Cell 37 37 1/2	25 75
David Mayors 1 Roan Horse 35 50	35 50
Robert Wherry 1 Horse 50 25	50 25
Morton Zimmerman 1 Man 12 75	12 75
James Brown 1 large plow 2	3 00
Newton Hobb 10 Hops 37 1/2	37 1/2
Samuel D. Livingston Cultivator of Hops 61 50	61 50
Pethens Running 1 team 1 1/2	13 00
John Hewitt 1 cow 10 50. 60 lbs Tobacco 8 cts	10 50
1 1/2 gal butts & bowl 1 1/2 1 00 7 50	9 00
James Lewis 1 cow 7 37 1/2. 1 do 7 75. 10 young cattle 45 50	58 62 1/2
Richard Hewitt 1 cow 8 5	8 50
John Christian 1 Hops 4 75	8 75
William McKim 10 Hops 10 75	10 75
Thomas Paul on wagon & Hops 24 75. 1 lot Hops 45 75 cts	52 45 75
John Thompson 1 Hops 1 1/2	1 3 1/4
Thos Price 60 lbs Hops 2 50. 1 copper die & worm 1 1/2	2 62 1/2
Levina Cross 1 wheat fan 10 75	10 75
Jonathan Ray 1 Hops of soap 3 25. 10 Hops 27 50	30 75
10 Hops 1 1/2 25	17 25
Philip Cook 16 8 feet Shuting plank @ 27 1/2 per 100	4 57 1/2
1 Black Day 4 06 1/2	4 58 1/2
Henry Warblough 1 copper still 2000 50	13 25
Alexander On Phelps 500 feet Shuting @ 20 cts per 100	10
Palmer Higgins 500 feet Shuting plank @ 26 1/2 per 100	3 10
20 4 feet Ash plank @ 1 1/2 per 100. 1 Hops 10 75	13 25
George Bama 35 6 feet oak plank @ 34 cts	1 25
P. B. Touchman 200 feet oak plank @ 50 per 100	2 50
3 Barrels Apples 1 43 3/4. 3 do & apples 1 37 1/2	2 81 1/4
William Davenport 1 shot gun 3 75	3 75
John Spier on candle stand & cover 2 37 1/2	2 37 1/2
Matthew Wiley 1 clock and case 5 3 Hoes 6 75	7 91 1/4
1 plow 1 75. 2 Hops 37 1/2	37 1/2
James Dean 1 bed bedstead & furniture 2 25	37 1/2

Frederick Ch. 1 oven & 8 Hittet \$11.00
 James Bradley & large pot \$4.34
 Davies Coffman Bells 50 cts Baskets 50 cts
 Andrew N. Ball 10000 Black \$6.12 1 Bag 50 2.62
 Dand. C. Morrison 3/4 acorn corn in the field \$4.87
 Bureau

Ohio Offutt 1 Black Bag \$7.87 1 Bag \$1.00
 Agva Offutt 9 acres of corn in the field \$0.43 3/4
 Isaac Thompson 300 dragon spikes \$1.00 1/4
 1 pair large Mulgarden \$3.12 1/2
 James S. Hamilton 1 barrel Black \$1.00 1/2
 William Marshall hire of N. Man Daniel
 Jefferson County 1st September Court 1831.

The foregoing sale lists of the estate of Thomas Ricketts Esq.
 was this day produced to me in court examined and ordered to
 be recorded, which is done.
 Test: Daniel Price clk

Benjamin & Thomas Ricketts exors of Thomas Ricketts Esq.
 To amount of sale
 Cash as per Inventory
 Able in commonwealth money \$20. Which is in silver
 Or
 paid for 4th 12.34 By 1/2 bills of things & cloth
 5 By cash paid for R. R. Sher and
 6 By cash to Mary R. Ricketts her spouse, 1/2
 7 By cash to Benjamin Ricketts
 8 By cash to Thomas Smith
 9 By cash to appraisers
 10 By cash to do
 11 By cash to do
 12 By cash to David Arnold
 13 By cash to Physician
 14 To Thomas Ricketts for services in administration of the estate
 15 Cash to Martha Ricketts
 Allowance of to Benj. Ricketts for services in Administration
 Allowance to Commissioners in settlement

Spels in the hands of Executors
 We the undersigned Commissioners met agreeable to an
 order of Jefferson County Court of September 1831 & find
 charges against the Executors to be
 And this credits to be
 leaving in the hands of Exrs (errors excepted)
 All which are respectfully submit to the inspection of the court.

And: Thompson
James Blair
 Jefferson County 1st September Court 1831.
 The foregoing settlement with the Executors of
 Thomas Ricketts Esq. was this day produced in court examined &
 ordered to be recorded, which is done.
 Test: Daniel Price clk

\$1.00
4.34
1.00
14.75
20.36
10.75
20.77
4.87 3/4
3.12 1/2
3.12 1/2
1.00 1/2
11.00

The Commissioners appointed by the county court of Jefferson
 at their August term 1831 to appraise the personal estate and slaves
 of John Ricketts Esq. have acted in compliance with your order and submit
 the following report: To wit:

1 Side Board	20.00
1 Case drawers	5.00
1 Dining Table	7.00
6 Windsor Chairs	3.00
7 common ditto	2.00
Large and small wheel Hops and Kist	2.50
1 pair flint quads	1.00
1 small square Table	1.00
1 Wash Stand	5.00
1 high post Bedstead, Red and cloth	30.00
1 do Red & cover	15.00
1 Candle Stand	2.00
Shovel, Tongs and Andirons	2.00
1 Bundle Red Head	1.00
1 Little wheel and 1 Quilt ditto	3.00
2 ps old carpet	1.30
Red and cloth	10.00
6 Shells	2.00
6 yards dark cloth	6.00
3 Blankets	3.00
5 covers 4 double and 1 single	15.00
10 lbs Butter	2.00
1 Knives & 9 Forks with Knife Box	1.00
3 Dishes & tin canisters and 1 small waiter	2.00
17 plates 3 vegetable dishes and 1 bowl	2.00
2 Bottles and 2 jars	1.30
3 Traps, 1 castor, 4 cups, 7 saucers, 3 washbas, plates and crust	3.00
3 large and 5 small silver spoons and 1 pair sugar tongs	7.00
1 Looking glass and tin canister	1.00
1 large Bible and 7 miscellaneous Books	1.00
4 ps pillows 1 slip, 1 counterpane, 2 quilts worth	11.00
6 Table cloths and four towels	12.00
1 Blue and 1 work basket	1.00
24 Ricketts Wheel	8.00
3 Tubs and 1 sieve	2.00
1 Wagon	15.00
3 ps heels & 1 Bristle	6.00
1 Sythe and cradle	2.00
3 Iron wedges and drawing knife	1.00
1 Log chain & pair Shovel and 1 Grouching Hoe	3.00
1 Iron cut saw	1.00
1 large Plough 3 harrows and 1 Wey	3.00
1 Tin Kettle and 1 flat Iron	1.30
1 oven 1 pot, 1 Dish & 1 Hittet	2.00
1 Table 1 coffee Iron 2 Saddle and 1 Iron Iron	1.50
2 Wash tubs and Churn	1.30
4 Buckets	2.00
Craps and Bell milled Kettle	3.00
2 large Kettles	2.50

282. 16th day of March 1831.

Wm. Summers
A. Young
James M. Campbell

Jepsumine County 1st September Court 1831.

The foregoing settlement with David L. Morrison Treasurer for Sally Ann Hays was this day produced in court examined and ordered to be recorded, which is done.

Test Dan. L. Price Clk.

The heirs and representatives of Samuel Hays died in account current with Samuel R. Offutt, Administrator of said Samuel Hays deceased.

112	For money received and paid out as Administrator				
	By cash received of Jacob Buchanan & Richard Young				1809 24
	deposited in their hands at the death of Samuel Hays 1808				
	including the amount deposited in the Bank at Lexington				
	also the rents and other money which were included				
	By amount of sales as per bill made out				1499 10
Dec. 3	To cash paid	Boston	N ^o 1	7 15	
	" do paid Robert Morrison	per apt	2	62	
16	" do paid James Evans	per do	3	3 12	
17	" do paid James Moore	per do	4	9	
18	" do paid Andrew M. Campbell	per Recd	5	2 25	
30	" do paid Ezra Offutt	per do	6	2	
Nov. 1	" do paid David Browne	per do	7	1 50	
4	" do paid William Richardson	per do	8	1 50	
14	" do paid Daniel P. Stefferson	per Recd	9	3 00	
24	" do paid William B. Summers	per do	10	2	
25	" do paid Anderson B.	per apt	11	50	
30	" do paid Samuel Davis	per do	12	2 00	
Dec. 1	" do paid Sheriff of Jepsumine	per Recd	13	2 62	
6	" do paid John Norton	per do	14	8 75	
9	" do paid Downing & Brant	per do	15	1 00	
10	" do paid W. B. Brown	per apt	16	5	
15	" do paid Norton & Sater	per do	17	2	
18	" do paid Abraham Casal	per do	18	6	
19	" do paid J. B. Nelson	per apt	19	2 62	
Jan. 11	" do paid John M. Source	per apt	20	1 50	
March 11	" do paid James M. Campbell	per Recd	21	7	
6	" do paid W. B. Summers	per do	22	17	
April 6	" do paid Charles M. Davenport	per apt	23	115	
18	" do paid John Reynolds	per do	24	1 46	
			301	134 345 51	
April 30	To cash paid Leroy B. Thomson	per Recd	25	50	
7	" do paid Thomas W. Elliott	per do	26	9 50	
May 13	" do paid Leroy B. Thomson	per do	27	3	
May 26	" do paid Samuel Rice	per do	28	1 50	
"	" do paid Thomas Dean	per apt	29	10 55	
June	" do paid Burns & Smith	per do	30	1 42	
"	" do paid Sheriff of Jepsumine County	per Recd	31	14 34	
12	" do paid Charles M. Davenport	per do	32	55	
13	" do paid Clerk of Jepsumine County	per do	33	3 43	
17	" do paid Samuel Davis	per apt	34	10 13	
19	" do paid A. Young	per Recd	35	7	
July 25	" do paid William Richardson	per do	36	5	

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Sept	To cash paid William Young	per apt	37	1 56	
14	" do paid James Bell	per do	38	2	
19	" do paid Sheriff of Jepsumine County	per Recd	39	15 46	
Oct 1	" do paid Edmund Hunt	per Recd	40	2	
18	" do paid Peter Hicks	per apt	41	7	
Nov 6	" do paid Richard Young	per Recd	42	3 50	
10	" do paid James Koch	per do	43	6	
"	" do paid Harrison Daniel	per apt	44	4 50	
18 27	" do paid Thomas Carr	per Recd	45	1 50	
Dec 19	" do paid John Cotton	per apt	46	4 50	
March 10	By cash received of John Carter by Jacob Buchanan			53 50	
"	" do recd of Buchanan in common with the paper to 28 in specie			15	
"	" do recd of Samuel Rice in do equal to 28 in specie			30	
"	" do recd for a lot in Nicholasville			266	
21	To cash paid James Burch	per apt	47	9 50	
May 8	" do paid Clara Filer	per Recd	48	50	
June 16	" do paid Samuel Nelson	per apt	49	1	
July 8	" do paid Samuel Allen	per Recd	50	1	
Sept 25	" do paid B. A. Hethland	per do	51	3 12	
March 1825	" do paid B. A. Hethland	per apt	52	3 12	
Oct 30	" do paid John Whig	per do	53	10	
Nov 12	" do paid Butler & Co.	per apt	54	15 30	
1825	" do paid A. M. Campbell	per Recd	55	1	
July 15	To cash paid for 34 per Rice at different times			3786 81	
Oct 10	By cash received on apt of the debt due from 1800			87 40	
Nov 10	Hermann at the two different dates in all			1655 71	
"	By cash recd for the different dividends on 10 shares of Bank				
"	Stock in the United States Bank at Lexington by up to 1825			267 50	
1830	To cash paid Henry B. A. Hethland per apt in 1825			7 87	
"	" do paid the debt of Fayette per apt and a fee to the court				
"	for buying of a lot in the town of Lexington part of the estate			5 57	
"	To cash paid L. B. Smith apt for attending to the sale of 1825			10	
"	" do paid C. Sanders	per Recd	56	1	
1831	" do paid David Rogers	per apt	57	8 06	
Aug 10	" do paid W. B. Summers	per Recd	58	2 50	
"	" do paid W. B. Summers	per Recd	59	1 00	
"	To amt allowed the administrator for his services up to this date			350	
				821 38 37 10 03	

By this see Shares in the Old State Bank of Ky
By ten shares in the United States Bank at Lexington
to be accounted for hereafter

Pursuant to an order of the Jepsumine County Court at their February term 1831. We the undersigned commissioners therein appointed proceeded to adjust and settle the account of Samuel Offutt, admin. of Samuel Hays died and from vouchers produced report the above apt to be correct, and find there is in the hands of said Administrator four thousand eight hundred and eighty eight and 63¹⁰⁰ cts due the heirs of said Hays debt, also thirty six shares in the Old State Bank of Kentucky and ten shares in the United States Bank. Given under our hands this 16th day of August 1831.

Wm. Summers
A. Young
James M. Campbell

Jepsumine County 1st September Court 1831.
The foregoing settlement with Samuel R. Offutt, admin. of Samuel

284. Says did was this day returned to court examined and ordered to be recorded which is done.

Test Daniel Jones etc

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In the name of God, Amen. I James Knight of Jefferson county and State of Kentucky being sick and weak in body but of sound mind and disposing memory (for which I thank God) calling to mind the uncertainty of human life, and wishing to dispose of all such worldly Estate as it hath pleased God to bless me with. I give and bequeath the same in the manner following. That is to say 1st I will and bequeath to my beloved wife Elizabeth Knight the farm on which I now live with all its appurtenances, the farming utensils the Wagon and gear and all belonging to them, the house hold and kitchen furniture to be hers during her natural life. Also it is my will that she shall select any part of the slaves she may think proper for her own use as also as much of the Stock of every description as may appear to her necessary for her use, which plantation with all its appurtenances farming utensils with the house, gear &c with the house hold and kitchen furniture with the slaves and stock she may select, to hold and have the same during her natural life and after her decease, I give the same to my children equally to be divided among them and to be enjoyed by them for ever. And having given a portion of property to all my children except my two youngest sons, James W. Knight and Isaac Knight, I therefore to make them equal in property with my other children it is my will that each of them shall have one Bed and furniture, two cows and calves for Cows with lambs, one ewe, and one pig one Skillet and one or two whippers they require it. 2^d it is my will that the balance of my slaves and stock, which my wife may not select shall be appraised and sold to the highest bidder to be done immediately after my decease and the money arising from such sale to be equally divided amongst all my children, 3^d It is my will that my son in law Elijah shall have and hold a small tract of land belonging to me adjoining my said son in law which I have used for a sugar camp, only to belong to him his heirs, executors, administrators or assigns forever, and he the said Elijah shall be to allow ten dollars per acre for the same to be deducted out of the portion he may be entitled to out of my estate. 4th It is my will also that after the decease of my wife that when the house hold furniture such as Beds and their furniture is appraised, they shall not be sold but the children shall take them at their appraisement equally dividing the same amongst them, 5th and lastly I do hereby constitute and appoint my friends Archibald Legum, John Shannon and Benjamin Boyant Executors of this my last will and Testament hereby revoking all other wills or Testaments by me heretofore made. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this 21st day of February in year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred & twenty eight. Signed sealed published &c declared by James Knight (Dead) as and for the last will & Testament of the above named James Knight in the presence of us, Attest Brecht Neal, William Jefferson, Jefferson County 21st November 1828.

The foregoing writing purporting to be the last will & Testament of James Knight Dead was this day produced in court and proven by the oaths of the subscribing witnesses thereto to be the last will & Testament of said James Knight whereupon the same was ordered to be recorded, which is done. Test Daniel Jones etc

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27th 1828

Inventory and appraisement of the personal estate of Joseph Bowman Dead appraised on the 5th day of October 1828.

1 cow and calf	1 00
2 trap rocks, razor and looking glass	75
1 Bed and furniture	6 00
1 Cupboard and furniture	10 00
1 oven and Skillet	2 00
1 Bed and furniture	18 00
	\$ 34 75
1 large Chest	1 00
1 small do	25
1 pair of steel yard	1 25
1 pair Shup Shears	12 1/2
1 Bath	2 00
1 large Dutch Kettle	3 25
1 common chain	1 00
1 side saddle	3 00
2 saddles and flesh fork	12 1/2
1 small cow	6 00
1 Reading box	25
1 Leather chain and sword Hilt	1 00
1 Small Tub & Whiskey barrel	75
2 flour barrels	50
3 meat bags	1 00
5 Cwt of Hemp	25 00
1 half	1 25
The Orchard of Fruit	1 00
	\$ 82 75
7 Hogs	14 00
1 Hog	2 00
1 Note on Abraham Bowser due 2 nd June 1821 for	150 80
1 Note on Joseph Bowman payable to the last of November given	
20 th of November 1826 for	100 00
1 Note on Joseph Bowman due 15 th January 1829	136 37
1 Note on Abraham Bowser due 2 nd May 1828	29 84
1 Note on Henry & John Anspy due 2 nd Decr 1827 for	100 00
1 Receipt of Abraham Bowser to Joseph Bowman for \$40 with credit of 25	114 00
1 Note on Christopher Behrer due 1 st March 1828 for	12 18
	\$ 777 07
1 Note on George Smith due 6 th of August 1826 for	89 00
with a credit of thirty dollars the 15 th of June 1827	
1 Note on Samuel Burdette due the 25 th Decr 1824 for	3 81 1/2
1 Note on Henry Burles for	4 87 1/2
1 Note on Thomas Bowser for	4 00
with debts owing on the back	\$ 580 76 1/4

As the undersigned commissioners appointed by the Jefferson county court to appraise the personal estate of Joseph Bowman Dead report, that as met on the 5th day of October 1828 and attended to the duty assigned us and find the personal estate as estimated by us to amount to the sum of Eight hundred and eighty dollars 78 1/2 cts, according to the foregoing inventory which is respectfully submitted to the court.

Charles West
Richard West
Thomas Reynolds