

Bouham
New

Original at Court of the Court

In the name of God Amen, this the 29th day of January
A.D. 1783 I Mathias Bouham of Bouham County, being
sick and weak of body, but of perfect mind and memory, rec-
calling to mind the mortality of my body, and knowing that I am ap-
pointed for all men once to die, do make and declare this to be my last
Will and Testament, in manner and form as follows, and first I
recommend my soul to God who gave it, and my Body I recommend to the
Earth to be buried in a Christian manner at the discretion of my
Executors.

Implying and as touching such worldly goods wherewith I have
blessed God to bless me within this life, I give, devise and dispose of
in the following manner and form— And first to my beloved Wife
Eleanor I give and bequeath all my household goods and furniture
during her natural life, and also a dark bay mare and saddle
two Bells, and a cow, and a Musket, and a Pistol, and four Deer
Skew, and a chain butter to her and her heirs forever—
And to my son Pelly Bouhams eldest son George by his Will I give
and bequeath one dollar. And whereas I have already given what
I intended to my other Children who are all married, I being my
youngest son George Bouham, to him I give and bequeath all my
land and improvements, and also all my horses, mares and cattle,
accepting what is already bequeathed to my Wife when here to
maintain during her natural life, and he is to collect all Debts due
to me, and also to pay what Debts I owe, and what money is over
and above what will pay my last Debt I give and bequeath to my
beloved Wife, and also her bed and furniture.

And lastly I nominate and appoint my Wife Eleanor and my son George
to be whole and sole Executors of this my last Will and Testament, and I do
hereby Prick, all and every other Will and Testament by me made, ratify-
ing and confirming this and no other to be my last Will and Testament, the day
and year just above written.

Mathias Bouham (S)

I come, I called, I published, pronounced
and declared by the within mentioned
Mathias Bouham to be his last Will &
Testament in presence of
William Walton
Peter Dyke
Peter Henry

At a Court held for Lincoln County the 18th day of February 1783
The Instrument of writing was exhibited in Court as the last Will and
Testament of Mathias Bouham deceased and proved by the Oath of Peter
Henry one of the Witnesses. At a Court held for the said County the 18th
day of November 1783 George Bouham one of the Executors named in this
Will came into Court and on his motion a Certificate is granted him for ob-
taining a Probate thereof in due form— And at a Court held for the said
County the 21st day of December 1783 the same was proved by the Oath of
Peter Dyke a Witness thereto and ordered to be Recorded.

John Mills Green

Procto Inventory
At the Subscribers being first duly sworn to appraise the personal Estate
of Samuel Jack deceased have proceeded as follows. January 11th 1783
A Negro Woman and Child
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One looking glass 15/6 one bottle of Window Glass 4/	0	14	0
2 Tea Pots 6/2 2 flat Irons 6/ 1 Grad Iron 10/	1	2	-
1 old hand saw 4/ 1 lb Lead 6/ 1 cutting knife and Lynche 4/	-	14	-
1 do. of 6 small rings and Hinges 2/9	1	-	-
1 Foot and 2 August drawing knife 1 Hinge	1	5	-
1 Hammer 2/ 1 Pitcher 10/ 6 1 Stomach Pump 8/	1	3	3
1 Gruben & Coe 12/6 1 pair of Pinchers 3/	-	5	6
1 Hoes & Rugs 3/ 1 Bed & Cushion 6/	-	11	-
2 Beds with the Beds 13/ 2 Bed racks 2/6	2	15	-
1 Larder & Larder bags 12/6 1 Huger 2/6	3	15	-
1 Pocket Book 12/6 2 small Trunks 15/	1	7	6
1 Gray Mare with pad 120 1 shoe leather 2/6	21	5	-
1 set of Saw chains & log chains 14/ 5	1	5	-
1 Roan Mare 120 1 Drunkle Cow and Cow 12/	24	-	-
1 Red Cow 10/ 1 Heavily heifer 15/ 1 calf 8/	3	3	-
1 Red Cow 12/ 1 Black Cow 12/ 1 Black heifer 10/	10	-	-
1 Drunkle & Cow 10/ 2 pair chains 12/ 2 carters 14/	14	4	-
1 head of Sheep 30/ 1 Bed & furniture 12/	2	10	-
1 spinning wheel 12/ 36 head of hogs 120	22	7	6
1 Bay horse 120 1 horse & Bells 12/ 10	15	10	-
	103	11	1
The above mentioned Roan mare appraised to 120 5 3 dead	25	0	0
	128	11	1

John Pincard, Joseph Milton, Stephen, Archer

At a Court continued and held for Lincoln County the 14th day of
March 1783 The Inventory and appraisement was returned and
Ordered to be Received
Edw. Miller Green & Co

Lincoln County June 27th 1783 At the a Substant. being duly
sworn in compliance with an order of the County Court of Lincoln Co
Account of the Estate of William W. Apes Deceased, same met accordingly
and after a due explanation of the papers doo find that the whole
Estate was sold for paper money on the sixth day of March 1781
Amounts to £ 1692 14 0

(Extra)
Paid by George W. Apes Deceased of the above
Estate as appears by Rec^d to the Widow Cunningham 4666 -
By Isaac W. Apes Rec^d for Drawing Warrants
for the use of the State 5666 -
And by 3710 8 -
By Rec^d from William May for Ricks fee 290 0 0
By Rec^d from David Wade 55 12 0
By Rec^d from Geo May for Lawgiving fees 64 0 0
By 120 for clearing out the bottom of the stream 120 0 0
By Doct Smith for Medicine and attendance
on the said W. Apes Deceased 300 0 0
1783 7362 10 0

July 28 By 3 in Gold and Silver as appears by a pressing
Rec^d to Jonathan Pincard 3 12 6
1783
March 26 By 1 Regular fee to William Smith 1 11 10 1/2
1783
Aug 19 By James Thompson Lawgiving fee 1 16 9
1783
May 22 By Ricks & Co. Miller Green 3 2
Thomas Smith, John W. Moore, Samuel W. Apes 10 1 10 1/2

At a Court held for Lincoln County the 27th day of July 1783
The Account of the Administration of the Estate of William W. Apes
Deceased, was returned and Ordered to be Received