

In the name of god the 2^d day of March in the year One thousand Seven hundred and Ninety five, I Thomas Owsley of the County of Madison, former being in perfect health, and sound memory, think be to go for the same, calling into mind the shortness of my life, and knowing that that it is appointed for all men to die, do make and Ordain, this my last Will and Testament that is to say: Part on lastly and first of all I give and Recommend my Soul to god that give it, as for my body, I Recommend it to the earth, to be buried in a Christian like manner, at the discretion of my Executors, nothing doubting but that at the general resurrection I shall receive the same again by the Power of almighty god, and touching such things of Estate which with it has pleased god to bless me with, I give devise and Dispose of the same in the following manner and form To wit, first it is my will and do Order that all my Just Debts and funeral Charges be paid, and Satisfied I then give and bequeath to my beloved wife Mary as long as she may live in this mortal life, the use of the Plantation with the benefit of all that arise therefrom, which said Plantation I now own in the Possession of myself and my Slaves, and the rest of my Property during her life I then give and bequeath after the death of my wife to my twelve Children five pounds apiece as William five William Owsley five, Thomas Owsley five, Henry Owsley five, Anthony Owsley five, Jonathan five, Chloe Williams five, Virlander Hatcher five, Daniel Owsley five, Mary Bryant five, Patience Blosser five, Elizabeth Hanger five, also with what I have already given them that they have in Possession, I then give and bequeath after the death of my beloved wife to my daughter An Williams One Negro fellow named Isaac to her and her heirs forever I give and bequeath to my son William after the death of my wife One Negro fellow named Joseph to him and his heirs forever I give and bequeath to my son Thomas Owsley after the death of my wife a Negro boy named Jesse to him and his heirs forever I give and bequeath to my two sons Henry & Daniel Owsley after my wife decease a Negro fellow named Ann to be equally Divided Between them, in the manner they may think proper To my son Anthony I bequeath after the death of my wife a Negro Woman named Anne

to him and his heirs forever to my Daughter Chloe I bequeath One Negro Woman named Nell, after the death of my wife to her with her heirs forever I give and bequeath to my grandson Thomas J. H. after a Negro boy named James after the death of my wife to him and his heirs forever I give to my grandson William Williams One Negro boy named Dick which Negro I bequeath to him after the death of my wife to him and his heirs forever to my son Anthony Owsley Daughter Sarah I give and bequeath after the death of my wife a Negro girl named Charity to her and her heirs forever with her heirs forever To my daughter Mary Hanger I give and bequeath five hundred acres of land lying on the North fork of Hickory River one hundred and twenty acres where she now lives to her and her heirs forever to my Daughter Mary Bryant I bequeath and give a Seven hundred and thirty eight Acres lying on the Old Buffalo Trace leading from the Settlement now of Boards Town to Bulls Lick and she make a note to one third part of the same to the locator of said land for his trouble I give and bequeath to my son Jonathan Owsley after the death of my wife one hundred and fifty pounds to be out of the residue of the estate after my wife decease to the full amount of the above sum, I leave that both Real and Personal Estate that yet remains after the death of my wife not taken notice of in the above Particulars that the estate of such Residue be sold to the highest bidder and the Sum when computed to be Divided Between An Williams, W^m Owsley, Thomas Owsley, Henry Owsley, Anthony Owsley, Jonathan Owsley, Chloe Williams, Virlander Hatcher, Daniel Owsley, I then last hereby appoint constitute and Ordain my son William Owsley and Daniel Owsley Executors to this my last will and Testament and I do hereby Certify disavow and make void all other will or wills Testament Agreements and Executions by me heretofore made Satisfying and Confirming no other to be my last will and Testament and Writing whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal this day and date above mentioned My desire is that as I have set free Jo and Nell that they remain free forever

142/ Signed Sealed and Acknowledged

In presence of
Charles L. King Esq, Absalom Brown,
Tobias Adams, Robert Moore

Thos. Corley (De),

See will
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At a Court held for Madison County on Tuesday the 7th day of March 1797

This Will was proved to be the last will and Testament of Thomas Corley De. by the Oath of Tobias Adams a Witness Hands and Sealed to be Recorded

Test. Will given and

In two Inventory of the Estate of Charles Kavanagh late lately deceased

One Saddle and Harness	330 0
One Gray Mare	240 0
One Dark Bay Mare	250 0
One Saddle and Harness	120 0
One Old Dark Bay Mare	20 0
One Red Steer	216 0
One Dark Red Cow and Calf	300 0
One Red Cow and Calf	300 0
One White Cow and Calf	115 0
Two yearling Steers	250 0
Two Barrows	015 0
Twenty hogs of four sh.	500 0
One Plough	280 0
One horse	040 0
One pair Old ox	015 0
One Small Bull	060 0
One large Bull	030 0
Swine when sold	030 0
Produce of Cows	076 0
One field of Corn	010 0
One field of Corn	600 0
One Acre	010 0
One Acre	012 0
One big Wheel	050 0
One small Wheel	030 0

143/ Inventory of Household furniture

Household furniture

Inventory of Furniture

One Oven

One broom & bro

Two B. d. d.

One pair of boots

One pair of boots

One pair of boots

One pair of boots

L. S. D.

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300
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At a Court held for Madison County On Tuesday the 7th day of March 1797

This Inventory and Appraisement of the Estate of Charles Kavanagh De. being returned was ordered to be Recorded

Test. Will given and

In the name of god Amen I Kavanagh De. of Madison County and State of Kentucky being very Sick & Weak in body but of perfect mind and memory thanks be given unto god I calling unto mind the mortality of my body knowing it is appointed for all men Once to die do make and Ordain this my last will & Testament that is to say Principally and of of all I give and bequeath all my soul into the hands of almighty god my body to be buried to be buried in decent Christian burial at the discretion of my executors Nothing doubting but that I shall receive the same by the hand of almighty god & intreating what worldly Estate Where with it has been pleased god to bless me with in this life I give & bequeath of the same in the following manner I give to wit first of all my lawfull debts to be paid out of my Estate and then the balance to be divided Between my wife & all my Children I will, Say, My Wife, Said I will say I will & Ruth my wife to have a thirds part any time when she calls for it & the rest not to be divided but keep up the till the youngest of my Children comes of age or marrying & also it is my will that my children should have an equal part of the Income of my Negro Woman to the negroes that

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one Pised heffer and yearling	£ 10
one brown cow and calf	20 10 0
one Pised cow and calf	10 10 0
one black B. and calf	10 10 0
one red cow & yearling	30 10 0
one pised cow and yearling calf	30 10 0
one black cow & yearling	15 10 0
Agg. Sawntion hags	7 10 0
one	7 10 0
one Waggon & harness	12 10 0
four beds and furniture	30 10 0
one desk and bookcase	7 10 0
one clock	3 10 0
four Tables	5 10 0
one Case and 12 B. M.	10 10 0
one chest	10 10 0
one cabinet and furniture	6 10 0
one Couch	1 10 0
twelve Chairs	1 10 0
two flat Iron & offy mill	1 10 0
three looking glasses	0 15 0
two candle sticks and towel	6 10 0
Patent knives and forks	3 12 0
one fine Sheffield & Tong	4 10 0
one Water stove	3 10 0
one bible in two Volume & other Books	1 10 0
two set of fine Bagge	1 5 0
one pair of Stages	13 10 0
three linen wheels	1 15 0
Two Wollen B.	10 10 0
five ploughs	3 10 0
six axes	2 15 0
eight hoes & two Waggons	3 2 0
three Sythes three belts & Hammer	13 10 0
one pair of shears & snuffers	10 10 0
Compartments & cupboards	10 10 0
three feet two acres of land paying for an Ashpot Lane	10 10 0

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one room and furniture	£ 10 10 0
Twenty eight Melby stans	10 12 0
four small Stands and two table cash	10 3 0
two whiskey Regge poles & other vessels	18 10 0
three small cow hids	18 10 0
two beehives 12/	12 10 0
Tanned leather	1 10 0
one t.b. book	7 10 0
Salt	1 7 0
Back	8 16 2
one Standing Dolt	
one horse on Davis & Parrell	57 18 0
one note on Thomas Hatchem	3 10 0
Agg. and 13 th 1799 one Still wine & cap	30 10 0
one Saddle	15 10 0
one St. Alcock	6 10 0
one Waggon team	7 10 0
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Given under hand this 13 th day of July 1799	
Abraham Brown	
John Harris	
John Allcorn	

At a Court held for Marion County on Tuesday the 11th day of July 1799
 This Inventory and Appraisement of the estate of
 Thomas Cowley Dec. being Testator was Ordered to be Recorded
 John Will. J. J. Clerk