

979 9th Cash for Dec. Tomlinson - 30.75
 " " Sleeping & schooling 6 Children 4 years 720.
 10th Cash paid J. H. L. Sells - 83.25
 11th Henry Eckles - 113.00
 2269.62
 1817.75
 Due Administratrix - 451.87

After having been first sworn to the under-
 signed Commissioners appointed by the Court
 of Mercer to settle the accounts of the Admin-
 istratrix of Thos. Prather Dec. have examin-
 ed & find the vouchers as numbered above
 and the the Estate of Thomas Prather to be as
 above stated. We also find that the Admin-
 istratrix has paid more than the value of the
 out of s. Estate which is indebted to the
 s. Administratrix the sum of four hundred
 & fifty one dollars eighty seven & cents -
 Given under our hands this 14th day of June 1820

John Hanna
 Joel C. Williams
 Geo. M. Thompson

Mercer County Set. July County Court 1820
 The foregoing settlement of the accounts
 of the Executrix of Thomas Prather Dec.
 was this day produced into Court & ord-
 ed to be recorded - Attest Thomas Allen

280 In the name of God Amen
 I Thimothy Dye of Mercer County
 my Regard state of Kentucky being in a perfect state
 of mind and memory but knowing the uncer-
 tainty of life do make constitute and ordain
 this as my last will and Testament. First I
 commend my soul to God who gave it and my
 body to the earth to be disposed of in a decent
 Christian burial at the discretion of my friends
 and as to my worldly possessions wherewith
 hath pleased God to bless me I give devise and
 dispose of in the following manner To wit; after
 all my just debts are paid I give and bequeath
 to my son Henry Dye and his heirs forever five
 Dollars in addition to what he has already re-
 ceived from me; I give and bequeath to my
 daughter Martha Sanders the tract of land where
 in she now lives containing one hundred and
 forty seven acres more or less the same being
 already conveyed to her by Deed from me;
 for her and her heirs forever - I give and
 bequeath to my son Martin Dye and his
 his heirs for ever one hundred and fifty
 Dollars in addition to what he has already
 received from me; I give and bequeath to
 the heirs of my daughter Rebecca Dye the
 sum of four hundred in addition to what
 she has already received from me I give
 and bequeath to my daughter Mary Dye

four hundred dollars in addition to what she has already received from me; to be equally divided between herself and her living children which she had by James Milly - I give and bequeath to my daughter Catharine M. Greenwood and her heirs forever, five dollars in addition to what she has already received from me - I give and bequeath to my daughter Nancy Brazz ^{and her heirs forever} five dollars in addition to what she has already received from me - I give and bequeath to my daughter Sally Greenwood and her heirs forever one hundred ^{and} dollars in addition to what she has already received from me - I also wish ^{and} that after my death my two negro women Milly and Ann, alias Maria, and Milly's daughter Maria, shall be emancipated and enjoy their freedom during their life with this proviso that Milly shall have the controul of her daughter until she shall arrive to the age of twenty years, if Milly should so long live and if not that my executors shall put her to some human person until she shall arrive to that age; and then enjoy her freedom. I also will and desire that Milly, Maria & Ann shall each of them have four barrels of corn, and one

hundred and fifty weight of fat pork for their support the first year after my death. I also give and bequeath to Milly's daughter Maria my Cow Cherry with her future increase, but to be first appropriated to the use of the three so long as they shall continue together; I also give and bequeath the said three, all my kitchen furniture, and that which is in my smelter room to be divided amongst them at the discretion of my Executors; I will and desire that my negro woman Susanna and her increase and my yellow boy Ben boy be sold at private sale to some person or persons of their liking, on a credit of one year for the best price that can be had; and the balance of my property of every description to be sold either publicly or privately as my Executors may deem proper, on a like credit; and the money arising therefrom to be appropriated agreeably to the provisions of this will, and if any of the proceeds of sale should remain after the bequests herein named, and my Executors for their trouble are all satisfied the residue to be equally divided amongst all my children or their heirs as above named; share and share alike; - I also nominate my friends Samuel Ewing and Richard Hops as my Executors of this my last will

and Testament, In Testimony whereof I
have hereunto set my hand and seal 17th
day of June 1817 —

Witness

Courtney Dye

Thomas Howland x

Thomas Crawford Junr. x

Joseph Allin

Mercer County Jee. August County Court 1822

The foregoing last will & Testament of
Courtney Dye Dec. was this day produced
into Court & proven by the oaths of Thomas
Howland, & Thomas Crawford Junr., & ~~Joseph~~
~~Allin~~ ^{two} subscribing witnesses, &
& ordered to be recorded —

Attest Thomas Allin Clk.

Dannaly
Edu.
Wife

In the name of God Amen — I Edward
Dannaly the County of Mercer and Common-
wealth of Kentucky being of sound mind &
judgment, do hereby dispose of my property,
both real and personal in the following man-
ner: 1st I wish all my just debts and
liabilities paid: 2nd I bequeath unto my wife
Elizabeth Dannaly, One hundred and twenty
five acres of Land, on which I now live, be the
same more or less, with all its appurtenances,
also I give and bequeath unto my said wife
Elizabeth Dannaly, Eight negro my name

Cambridge, Richmond, I Runy with her
five Children, Pepney (Saw. Wells, Burtis
and Louis also — I give and bequeath unto my
said wife Elizabeth Dannaly, as many of the
Stock of Horses, Cattle, Sheep & Pigs, of the
household & Kitchen Furniture and farming
utensils as she in her judgment may deem
necessary for her use & benefit during her
natural life — It is my will then that after
such reserve be made by my wife the said
Elizabeth Dannaly that the residue of said
property of them to any, be sold at twelve
months credit, & the monies arising therefrom
be equally divided among the legatee, herein
hereafter named. Item, I give and be-
queath unto my Daughter Lucy Thomas
five dollars; unto her four children, Wil-
ding, Mahala, Eliza, and Lucinda, three
negroes, viz. Tamar and her two youngest
Children, Malinda Phil, but provided
my daughter Lucy Thomas, should become a
Widow or be legally divorced from her husband
Joseph Thomas it is my will she shall
have the entire use & benefit of said neg-
roes, during her natural life or Widowhood
and at her death, for the said negroes to
go to her four children above mentioned

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therefore give to her a Negro man by the name of
Limon and a Negro woman by the name of Anne to be
hers during her widowhood or till James should choose
marry else I give her a cow and calf and a sow &
pigget and at my wife Lynns death or man
age the two negroes are to be set free also Anne
and George is to be set at freedom at the marriage
or death of my wife. Second, I give and be
queath to my Daughters Elizabeth Now and
the heirs of her body two negroes namely Lunge
and Anna with their Increase for ever

I bequeath to my second Daughter Rhoda
Coggins and in case of her death the hire
for Lady Lees Negro to Mr Stanley and
paying with this bequest forever

1/16 I bequeath to my Son Benjamin Leach
 one negro to wit, Nabitha and Shadow
 with their increase forever

3rd To my second son Elanus Gaan two neg
ars & their clothes & furniture by the name of Elanus Gaan
Also one father bed and furniture and cold and calf
of the same then son Levy Gaan 2 gaer and liquor & two
negars (white) only & Lucy with their mends & furniture
one father bed and furniture & cold & calf

So The late ones of my State, no matter of what sort
 feeling whether personal or real I. do not my Execution
 to fill or dispose of in that way which they believe
 will be most profitable to the Regatta, and to distribute
 the proceeds equally between Elizabeth Baron or Spencer
 & her lodge Which Augustus or the Baron of the Baron
James Baron Baron Baron & My further will
 have seemed to find I. hereby nominate and appoint
William Baron Baron Baron and Baron
 Execution to this my last will and testament. In
 testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and
 affixed my seal this 4th day of May Eighteen
 hundred and a twenty

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Witness
 Mr. Jackson
 William Douglas
 Anthony Davis
 William Dicks
 Samuel Greenwood

Thommas Gaar, Secy

Superior County Secy December County Court 1854

The foregoing last will and testament of Benjamin Gaar deceased was proved by the oaths of Thomas Jackson, William Douglas and Anthony Davis, the subscribing witnesses thereto and ordered to be recorded

Attest
 J. H. H. Secy

One bed furnished	26	25
One bed do	26	25
Hand Chair	7	00
One Table and Chair	3	
One cup board furnished	10	00
One black and white Horse	50	00
One Gray Mare	40	00
One pair Sows and calf	10	00
One black Sows one and 100 one said do.	12	00
One Negro Girl Lucy Child Mully	500	00
Two Negro Boys Thomas and James	400	00
One 1/2 blood bay Horse	500	00
One Shovel plough hoe	2	75
One Shovel plough hoe	1	50
	1590	75

Given under our hands the date above written
 Attest
 Charles Foxworth
 Clerk of the Court

Charles F. Smith		marks	
Ex	Balance of a Note on Nimrod Greenwood bearing interest after the 29th of April 1819	641	60
	One note on J. B. Little with interest on the amount from the 21st of March 1818 till paid	228	00
	One note on Presley Sanders due 26 th Dec ^r 1820	57	00
	One note on D. Due the 1 st Sep ^r 1821	50	00
	Amount from John Spud for a note on Hickman & Co. for collecting due Feb ^r 16 th 1820	50	00
	Balance from John Spud on D. due 3 rd Feb ^r 1820	10	
	The schedule of notes and receipts were presented and laid in the inventory agreeable to their several dates. Given under our hand & the 26 th day of Aug ^r 1821		
	Frederick B. Baker		
	By Appointment J. A. Brown		

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Ex^r

78. 9. 1 of corn

\$78.45

Dechard Bell
Edw Ballou
John Goodnight

Mercer County, Ky

December County Court 1820

The foregoing inventory and appraisement of the estate of Dechard Bell deceased was produced into Court and ordered to be recorded
Wm. The ClerkShaw
Davis
JuryIn Inventory of Estate of Dechard Bell
Dechard Bell
day of November 1820

Red Cow and calf	11 00
Black Cow and calf	9 00
Trindle Cow calf	10 00
One D. Cow	10 00
Red Cow	8 00
Red Horse	8 00
Three Horses	15 00
Bay Horse	15 00
Broken head of Sheep	15 00
One Washboard	5 00
Three Hoes	2 00
Four Saws	6 00
Two Clows, Sticks and Singletree	2 50
One Small Sleigh	2 00
Crop of Corn	50 00
Barrel Rye	6 00
Two pair Churn braces	4 00
One tra Farming	27 00
Two Vats and one Cown	10 00
Two Churns and one frame	1 50
Six Minder D.	5 00
Cass of Saws	17 00
Two Saw Irons Two hammers & Wedge	2 50
Two trawls One Sho Knife	00 75
Red Bedstead and furniture	36 00
One D. Bed	10 00
One Flax wheel and beam reel	2 50
One Bed and furniture	27 00
Supper Furniture	2 50
Long Glass Case Two pots and four hooks	10 00

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Tom and Mary
boopers wain
Two Bed Trays and table
Chapel and organ
Miller Wash and state
Three Barrels Churn
One Bedstead and board
Four Cows
Stock of Lard
Crop of wheat
Eight head of Sheep
One Hatter
Stock of out Sheep

5	00
3	00
00	75
00	50
1	25
3	50
1	00
00	37 1/2
6	37 1/2
6	36
15	00
1	00
00	00
32 1/2	11 1/2

Given under our hands the day of November 1820
James Davis
James Alexander
Mercer County, Ky
December County Court 1820
The foregoing inventory of the estate of Dechard Bell deceased was produced into Court and ordered to be recorded
Wm. The Clerk

Gates
Winfield

In the name of God amen
I William Gates of Mercer County State of Kentucky being in sound mind and memory do hereby certify that my late wife Elizabeth Gates deceased has left me the following property to wit
One and one half acres of land in the State of Kentucky containing the plantation which she owned and lived on with all my household furniture and tools of husbandry of every description including my negroes and dear son William with the grain also some Negroes (slaves) Isaac Gabriel Ben Lucas and many also four stone horse shoes out of my store for head of cattle her choice of my stock of cards also my horse sheep together with the poultry also together with the grain and provisions that she had held at my decease. And I give and bequeath unto the heirs of my son William Gates deceased one hundred dollars to be paid in full.

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